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BRITISH AND FRENCH GAINED MORE GROUND NORTH OF THE SOMME

Haig's Men Moved Forward Northwest of Pozieres; Bapaume Being Bombarded; French Made Progress North of Hem Wood, Taking Prisoners and Six Machine Guns; Many Bombs Dropped

London, Aug. 10.—Further gains were made by British troops northwest of Pozieres, north of the Somme, it was announced by the war office to-day.

The British added 72 prisoners to their total.

Fighting is in progress on the high ridge across which the Albert-Bapaume highway passes, and Bapaume itself is being bombarded by British guns. The town is practically a wreck from the battering it has received and fires occur frequently in the ruins.

Paris, Aug. 10.—Further progress was made by French troops north of the Hem wood, north of the Somme, it was reported by the war office this afternoon.

The text of the statement follows:

North of the River Somme French troops last night made progress in the country to the north of the Hem wood, increasing at the same time to 100 the number of prisoners made yesterday in this region. Furthermore, we captured six machine guns. The operations were hindered by rain and fog.

Party Dispersed.

"South of the River Somme a German reconnoitring party which was endeavoring to reach our lines by means of flaming liquids was dispersed by our fire at a point to the west of Vermandovillers.

"On the right bank of the Meuse there have been intermittent bombardments in the region of Fleury, Vaux and Chapitre.

"In the Vosges a surprise attack on the part of the enemy, preceded by a bombardment upon a salient of our lines to the northwest of Altkirch, was without success and resulted in losses to the assailants.

Aerial Activities.

"On the Somme front French aviators yesterday delivered 15 attacks. A German machine was brought down between Herly and Rethonvillers. Two others were compelled to descend after engagements with French machines in the region of Combles. During the day of August 9 and the night of August 9-10 French aerial squadrons took part in the following bombing operations: 90 bombs thrown down on railroad stations on the front between Lassigny and Combres; 138 shells on the station at Dugny; 40 at Appilly; 38 shells thrown down on a battery in action in the region of Noyon; 15 on the railroad station at Bazancourt; 92 on the stations of Spincourt and Damvillers and on surrounding bivouacs, a total of 413 projectiles."

AMNESTY FOR MEXICANS.

Mexico City, Aug. 10.—General Carranza is quoted in a newspaper of this city to the effect that after the presidential election a law will be enacted giving amnesty to Mexicans who are fugitives in foreign countries.

ITALIANS SANK S.S. IN DURAZZO HARBOR

Light Cruisers Made Raid; Four Austrian Destroyers Chased to Cattaro

Rome, Aug. 10.—An Italian naval raid last week on the Albanian port of Durazzo, held by the Austrians, was announced in an official statement issued here as follows:

"Italian light cruisers on the night of August 1-2, avoiding the new permanent defences prepared by the enemy, again penetrated the port of Durazzo. They torpedoed a steamship there.

"On August 2 French and Italian destroyers attacked four enemy destroyers, protected by the cruiser Aspern, which had bombarded the Apulian coast, and pursued them under the guns of Cattaro, shelling them vigorously The French and Italian warships were not damaged, although opposed by the heavy gunpower of the enemy's ships."

Apulia is a province of Italy which borders on the Adriatic sea and the Strait of Otranto.

The Aspern is a small Austro-Hungarian cruiser, displacing 2,400 tons. Completed in 1900, she carries eight 4.7-inch guns and ten 3-pounders and is fitted with two torpedo tubes.

WINNIPEG BANK CLEARINGS.

Winnipeg, Aug. 10.—The bank clearings here for the week ended to-day were $43,371,729. For the corresponding week last year the clearings were $14,174,622, and for the corresponding week of 1914, $20,043,127.

GUILLEMONT, NORTH OF SOMME, WILL FALL INTO ALLIES' HANDS; FIGHTING IN OUTSKIRTS; HAND-TO-HAND NOW

Paris, Aug. 10.—A dispatch to La Liberte from the French front north of the Somme, says:

"The intense bombardment going on on the Somme front has been diminished slightly north of the river in order to permit the Franco-British troops to carry out a point action, which, although not yet finished, already has given satisfactory results. On the other hand, south of the Somme, batteries of all calibres continue unceasingly their methodical destruction of the enemy works, and at the same time French long range guns are hindering greatly the revictualling of the German lines and are bombarding their rear communications. Aeroplanes meanwhile are successfully raiding the principal railroads and causing heavy damage.

"The latest combined offensive took place on a front of 10 kilometres, during which the corps cleared the northeast part of the Hem wood of the last German contingents which had succeeded in holding their ground there, and extended its progress farther to the east in the direction of the Combles-Peronne railroad. At the same time they captured a line of German trenches. British troops made a vigorous attack in this offensive against the village of Guillemont, which was defended by the 5th Brandenburg Regiment. The British were supported by French batteries and had the aid of a French regiment.

"The combat was furious, particularly northeast of the village, near the road to Ginchy, where the attackers encountered fierce resistence. Nevertheless, after six hours of hand-to-hand combats, the allies succeeded in gaining the advantage. They made appreciable progress, reaching in the evening the first houses of the village, at the entrance to which, according to latest news, severe fighting is going on.

"The French troops, operating northeast of Hardecourt, greatly aided the British by exercising a strong pressure on German contingents southwest of Guillemont. Despite a desperate defence, the French succeeded in capturing the entire German system of organization up to the road from Guillemont to Maurepas. Thus, last night Guillemont was menaced from the west, northwest and south, and the situation there with the Germans under an intense bombardment was most critical.

ITALIANS STILL ARE DRIVING FORWARD IN THE ISONZO REGION

Rome, Aug. 10.—Italian troops have pierced the strong Austrian entrenchments northeast of Monte San Michele, on the Isonzo front, and near the village of San Martino, the war office announced to-day. They have occupied Boschini, the statement says.

More than 12,000 Austrians have been captured.

Paris, Aug. 10.—A Havas dispatch from Rome says that the Duke of Aosta's army, having passed the left bank of the Isonzo, continues the pursuit of the Austrians and that heavy losses, particularly in respect of prisoners, are being inflicted on the Austrians.

ANOTHER CONTINGENT OF RUSSIAN TROOPS LANDED AT BREST, FRANCE; WILL AID FRENCH AGAINST ENEMY

Fifth Body of Fighters Sent From Czar's Empire Was Given an Enthusiastic Welcome When It Landed at French Port to Share in Work of Hurling Invader From Territory of Republic

Brest, Aug. 10.—Another contingent of Russian troops has been landed here. The soldiers were given an enthusiastic welcome.

The first Russian troops to land in France arrived at Marseilles on April 20, having sailed halfway round the world from Vladivostok. They were followed by three other contingents, and after a short rest were sent into the trenches in Champagne, where they have been doing splendid work. Nothing has been made public officially as to the numbers of this Russian expeditionary force, but unofficial estimates have placed the strength of the first contingents at not less than 20,000 men.

The earlier arrivals brought no arms with them. They were sent to Camp de Mailly, where they spent a period in becoming acclimatized and being equipped with rifles and other articles they needed. Following training they were put in the trenches in Champagne, where they very soon made their presence known by carrying out successfully several audacious raids. They have been in the front line ever since and have been mentiontd several times in official statements issued at Paris.

One of the regimental commanders, addressing his men, said that the Russian contingents had come from Russia by way of Vladivostok, but that they would return to their own country through Germany.

CITY OF GORIZIA WAS NOT DESTROYED

Italians Found Only Wounded and Dying Austrians in Outskirts

Rome, Aug. 10.—Notwithstanding the desperate fighting around Gorizia, the city itself was not burned by the Austrians nor destroyed by the Italian artillery fire; nor were the inhabitants injured, the total number of 20,000 having previously evacuated the city. It was the desire of Lieut.-Gen. Count Cadorna, chief of the Italian general staff, to save Gorizia from destruction by the retreating Austrians, and to that end he employed strategy.

From All Sides.

After taking the mountain tops of San Michele and Sabotino, he attacked Gorizia not only from the front across the Isonzo, but also from the sides and rear. When the Duke of Aosta, commander of the Third Army, who was present during the three days of fighting, entered the city after forcing the bridge across the river, at the head of cavalry and cycle corps, Gorizia was found to be deserted save by great numbers of wounded and dying Austrians in the outskirts. Accompanying the duke was King Victor Emmanuel, the king and the duke being cousins. The only damage done by the Austrians was occasioned by their attempt to destroy military buildings filled with large quantities of supplies.

At Bridge.

The fighting at the bridge across the Isonzo at Podgora, leading into Gorizia, was among the most sanguinary episodes of the war. Before this encounter the bridge had been named Death Pass. After the Italian guns had obtained command of Gorizia from the heights of Sabotino, San Michele, Monte Fortin, Monte Santo and Basso Fortin, Italian infantry advanced toward the bridge. After the wildest fighting, in which 100 Austrians were drowned, the bridge was taken. Entrance into the city was then comparatively easy.

B. C. MINISTER GAVE LIFE AT THE FRONT

Capt. Thomas Riley Left Kensington Mission to Fight for Empire

Montreal, Aug. 10.—The Gazette's correspondent in London cables the following items:

"Captain Thomas Riley, who has just died of wounds in France, was minister in charge of Kensington mission in British Columbia when the war broke out. With his bishop's permission he returned to Burnley, his native town in Lancashire, and was gazetted captain in the R. F. A., having previously held the rank of major in the Territorials.

"Lieut. W. Hendrie Hay, of Toronto, R. F. A., who recently was wounded, has returned to the front from the base hospital. He was given his commission only a short time ago.

"Major General Sir Sam Hughes was one of the principal spectators of a flying demonstration held on Wednesday, when several types of machines soared high and performed some marvelous evolutions. Among the pilots who participated in the events was Major Edgar Kennedy, of Sherbrooke, Que., an officer who has done good work at the front and now is engaged in instructional work in England.

"C. A. Hanson, alderman of the city of London, has been selected as the Unionist candidate in the Bodmin division of Cornwall, in succession to Gen. Sir Reginald Pole-Carew, retired. No contest is expected. Alderman Hanson is a member of the firm of Coates, Son & Company, whose business is identified with Canadian interests."

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RUSSIANS ARE APPROACHING STANISLAU; CHRYPLIN STATION TAKEN; ADVANCES ELSEWHERE

Point Only Five Miles Southeast of Stanislau in Hands of Czar's Forces; Moving West From Koropice River, Russians Have Reached Important Railway and Mouth of Zlota River

Petrograd, Aug. 10.—The capture by Russian troops of the railway station of Chryplin, on the Stanislau-Nadvorna railroad, was announced officially to-day.

Chryplin is between four and five miles southeast of Stanislau, the objective of the Russian forces in that region. It is about 12 miles east of Tlumach, now in the hands of the Russians, and 6 miles southwest of Tysmienica, also held by the Russians.

Pushing westward from the Koripice river, the Russians have reached the Monasterayska-Niznioff railway and the mouth of the Zlota Lipa river, northwest of Niznioff.

The text of the statement follows:

"Our troops, who have occupied the right bank of the river Koropice, in developing their success, have reached the Monasterayska-Niznioff railway and advanced to the mouth of the Zlota Lipa river.

Station Taken.

"In the region of Tysmienica our brave troops, following hard upon the heels of the retreating enemy, continue their movement to the north and to the west, having occupied in a westerly direction the right bank of the river near Stricy-Nadvornaskoi. On the Nadvorna-Stanislau line we captured the joint railway station of Chryplin. All the bridges over the river have been blown up by the enemy.

"In the region of Vorocht and the rivers of Bisly, Cheremosh and Suchava, our troops made an advance of several versts.

Over Baltic.

"On the Baltic Sea on August 9 an aerial fight took place between two of our seaplanes and three enemy seaplanes. Our Lieut. Garkowenko, drawing near an enemy machine, fired at it with his machine gun and forced the German to land on the shore. We suffered no losses or damage.

"Caucasus front—We repelled Turkish attacks in the region west of Guimichkhan. Fierce fighting is continuing north of the Mush-Bitlis line."

AUSTRIAN SOCIALISTS WANT SEPARATE PEACE

Secretly Encouraged by Government in Their Effort, Says Dispatch

London, Aug. 10.—That the Italians were able to take Gorizia because the city was not properly defended is the belief of the Austrian public, according to a message received here to-day from Amsterdam by the Exchange Telegraph. It is said Archduke Joseph probably will be recalled as a result of the disaster to Austrian arms.

Austro-Hungarian Socialists, according to the dispatch, are agitating for a separate peace, in which effort they are being encouraged secretly by the government.

TWO HELD FOR BIG MUNITIONS EXPLOSION

Arrested in Jersey City; One Had Drawing of a New Torpedo

Jersey City, N. J., Aug. 10.—A drawing of what at first was thought to be a submarine and later was admitted by the designer to be a self-propelling torpedo, together with an envelope addressed to John D. Rockefeller and a notebook containing the name and address of President Wilson, were found to-day among the effects of Erling Iverson, who, with Axel Larsen, was arrested yesterday on suspicion of complicity in the disastrous munitions explosion on Black Tom Island two weeks ago.

Although the two men produced persons who declared they were with them in another part of the city at the time of the explosion, the pair were held in $1,000 bail pending investigation.

The drawing of the torpedo bore the inscription: "Approved by Captain J. Howard, chief of the U. S. submarine department, June 26, 1916." There also was a notation, "to be built by Iverson & Company, London," and another, "revolutions 150 miles an hour for U. S." Iverson told the authorities that he had planned and designed the torpedo and said that "Iverson & Company" referred to himself.

Underneath the heading "President Wilson" in his notebook, appeared a meaningless paragraph, which Iverson said he had written "to amuse himself."

One letter which Iverson had written to his mother and had not posted, told of "the fright he got when Black Tom blew up," and said there were "still eight cars of ammunition in Black Tom yard."

FRENCH ARTILLERY SHELLS BULGARIANS NEAR LAKE DOIRAN

London, Aug. 10.—A dispatch received to-day from Salonica stated that French artillery was bombarding with great effect the Bulgarian lines in the region of Lake Doiran, north of Salonica, on the Serbian-Greek border.

PASSAGE OF GOODS FROM STATES TO HOLLAND

Amsterdam, Aug. 10.—At a meeting of the American export chamber of commerce to-day the increased difficulties of trade between the United States and Holland were discussed and it was decided to formulate a statement to the British government pointing out that since October, 1915, American goods sent to Holland under Netherlands Overseas Trust conditions frequently were not permitted to reach the consignees. The chamber suggests that a British official or board be appointed at American ports of shipment to examine and certify the neutral destinations of consignments, with a view to insuring delivery on arrival here.

NORWEGIAN S. S. SUNK.

Malmo, Sweden, Aug. 10.—The Norwegian steamship Thor Hafte, 313 tons gross, has been sunk off Falsterbo by striking a mine.

LIEUT.-COL. TOBIN BACK IN CANADA

Lieut.-Col. Macdonald, 12th C. M. R. Has Returned to Command Calgary Camp

Halifax, Aug. 10.—Lieut.-Col. G. E. Macdonald, of the 12th C. M. R., was one of the officers aboard the liner Empress of Britain when she arrived yesterday. He has returned from the front to take command of the Calgary camp with the rank of brigadier general.

Lieut.-Col. H. S. Tobin, 29th Battalion, Vancouver, also is back.

Captain Mann, who commands the Empress of Britain, was in command of the Hesperian when she was torpedoed. This is his last voyage, as on his return he will receive the D. S. O. from the king and then will accept an advisory position on the British naval consulting board.

On her outward voyage the Empress of Britain was escorted by a destroyer until well beyond the war zone.

RECOVERING BODIES IN MINE AT MICHEL

Extensive Work Needed to Make It Safe for Those at Work

Michel, B. C., Aug. 10.—The repairing gangs worked with such diligence between midnight and this morning that they expected to recover some bodies from No. 3 mine early this afternoon. The work of effecting an entrance to the workings where the workmen supposedly were caught by the explosion, was started yesterday through an air intake, but was discontinued last night as ventilation for the workers could not be maintained, short circuiting of the air current having prevented dispersion of the gas. The new method is by way of the main slope. Commencing some 700 feet from the blocked entrance, and thence for some 500 yards. All intersecting levels and crosscuts have been stopped, forcing the air along the slope. An air bridge or overcast has been completed, forming an air circuit. Proper distribution of ventilation thus has been effected. The repair parties can work periods of only four hours, at the end of which they are completely exhausted, so strenuous is the work.

General Manager R. G. Druman, of the Hillcrest, and C. Graham, of Corbin, are assisting the local officials supervising the operations. District union officials also are co-operating.

Chief Provincial Mines Inspector Thomas Graham will arrive from Victoria to-day.

RAID ON ROTTWEIL WAS IN RETALIATION

London, Aug. 10.—"The raid made on Rottweil, Wurttemberg, by a French aviator, was in retaliation for the zeppelin raids on England," said an official of the admiralty to-day.

It was gathered from his remarks that henceforth a policy of retaliation will be pursued by the allies, and that should zeppelins continue to visit the British Isles and perpetrate outrages, some point or points in Germany will be made to suffer each time.

GOVT. OF ONTARIO IN TIGHT CORNER

Events Have Taken Peculiar Turn Since Prohibition Measure Was Passed

Toronto, Aug. 10.—At a meeting of the Ward 6 Liberal Association last night it was decided to endorse and support the candidature for the legislature of Gordon Waldron, the Independent Liberal, in Southwest Toronto. Mr. Waldron was present at the meeting and stated emphatically that he was going to the polls at the approaching by-election.

"I am against prohibition," declared the prospective candidate. "I do not debate or waste time with a wine and beer license system or a dispensary system, a Gothenburg system, state sale or anything of that kind. There may be a great deal in one or other of these suggestions of reform, but the only question to be debated at the present time is: 'Are the people in favor of or against prohibition?'"

Thus a remarkable situation is evolved. Whoever is elected the hands of the government, which is about to bring into operation the Ontario Prohibition Act passed at last session, will be weakened. The last provincial election was fought on the abolish-the-bar issue, resulting in the return of the Conservatives, who opposed abolition. Then the Conservative government, which had fought the measure, later passed a prohibition law in response to the demand of a committee of 100.

This resulted in the loss of North Perth to the government in a recent by-election and the promise of another loss in Southwest Toronto if the government candidate endorsed the government prohibition measure. The government is in the position of having endorsed James Norris, who in turn does not endorse it, while the Liberal candidate also is pledged to fight the prohibitory measure.

MEXICAN OFFICIAL DIES.

Mexico City, Aug. 10.—Juan Neftali Amader, sub-secretary for foreign affairs, died early to-day from gangrene poisoning.

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AUSTRALIANS GAINED NORTH OF THE SOMME

Advanced 200 Yards Northwest of Pozieres; Progress by French

London, Aug. 10.—The following official statement was issued last night:

"Northwest of Pozieres, north of the Somme, the Australians advanced their lines 200 yards on a front of 600 yards. Otherwise the situation is unchanged.

"As a result of aeroplane co-operation with our artillery several enemy guns were destroyed and some magazines exploded. A train was set on fire by bombs dropped from our aeroplanes.

"Hostile aircraft have been most active, but obviously have been trying bomb attacks. Several enemy machines, however, have been damaged by our aeroplanes and infantry fire."

French Report.

Paris, Aug. 10.—The following official statement was issued last night:

"North of the Somme we completely re-occupied a trench north of the Hem wood where the enemy had taken a footing. We took about 50 prisoners in the course of this action. Our progress continues in the region of the Hem wood, where a spirited engagement occurred, the advantage being on our side.

"On the right bank of the Meuse there was great artillery activity in the sectors of Thiaumont, Fleury, Vaux-Chapitre and Cheniois. No infantry action took place.

"The day was relatively calm on the rest of the front."

A Belgian statement said:

"Our guns of all calibres have successfully resumed the destruction of German works in the region of Dixmude."

GREEK WAR MINISTER RESIGNS HIS POST

London, Aug. 10.—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Athens reports that Gen. Callarais, minister of war in the Greek cabinet, has resigned.

Haynes absolutely guarantees all watch repairs.

TROOPS REVIEWED BY BORDEN AT N. S. CAMP

Prime Minister Saw Four Highland Battalions and 97th, American Legion

Halifax, Aug. 10.—Sir Robert Borden reviewed the four battalions of Nova Scotia Highlanders and the 7th Battalion, American Legion, at Aldershot camp yesterday. The weather conditions were ideal and a number of visitors were at the camp, including Lieut.-Governor Mackeen, of Halifax. Sir Robert said:

"You are leaving us soon, and you are going to the front at a most important period of this great struggle. We are entering on the third year of war. The first year was one of testing, as it were; the second, one of preparation, but the third year will be one in which the armies of Great Britain and her allies will fight harder and fiercer than they have ever before. In sending you forth Canada bids you Godspeed, firm in the assurance that you will do honor to the trust she has placed in your hands."

Sir Robert was in Halifax to-day.

RUSSIANS CONTINUE ADVANCE IN GALICIA

Moving West of Tysmienica Toward Stanislau; Smashing Blows Bringing Victory

Petrograd, Aug. 10.—The following statement was issued yesterday afternoon:

"In the region east of Svinluchy our troops attacked and captured a portion of the enemy's trenches, taking 13 officers and 600 men prisoners.

"On the River Koropice (Galicia), the enemy was driven out of his fortified positions and our troops captured the left bank of the river up to the point of juncture with the Dniester.

"South of the Dniester the troops of General Litchitzky continued to pursue the enemy, drove them out of a series of villages and heights which they had occupied and reached the River Tlumach, a tributary of the Dniester. At 6 o'clock in the evening of August 8 our troops occupied the town of Tysmienica and a ridge of heights northeast as far as the right bank of the Dniester and the right bank of the River Vorone, to the south of Tysmienica, as far as Stokovohela.

Prisoners.

"In these battles General Letchitsky captured up to August 7, 88 officers and 7,400 men. Among the prisoners were 3,500 Germans, 2,000 of whom were mentioned in the communication of August 8. They also captured five guns, including three of heavy calibre, 63 machine guns, a number of limbers and some bomb mortars."

An official communication issued last night said:

"Having crossed to the right bank of the Koropice river, we repulsed the enemy and seized a series of heights in the region of Velesnioup and southward as far as the bridge over the Dniester, on the Niznioff-Monasterszyska railroad.

"In retiring, the enemy damaged the bridge. Here the enemy launched two counter-attacks, which we repulsed. Then we assumed the offensive and took prisoner 5 officers and 414 men, and captured 1 gun and a number of machine guns.

"In the region of Tysmienica our advance guards progressed westward in the direction of Stanislau.

Caucasus.

"Caucasus front—West of Giumuchkhane we drove the Turks out of a commanding height, taking five officers, including the battalion commander, and 38 Askaris. We also captured some arms.

"An attempt made by the Turks to advance in the region of Kegi was brought to a standstill, and our troops, having taken the offensive, drove out the enemy from his position and captured the village of Khogos, to the south of Kegi.

"In the region of Mush, Bitlis, Vanskou Emijsk, Senesk and Khanazan, obstinate fighting is continuing. In the region of Mush-Bitlis, owing to heavy pressure by the enemy, our troops retired to the north."

Austrian Admission.

Vienna, Aug. 10.—An official statement issued last evening said:

"In the region of Capuli, in Bukowina, the enemy was driven back northward. On the upper Pruth we captured the heights east of Warochia.

"Our forces near Ottynia have been withdrawn to a prepared position farther west.

"In Volhynia the Russians have been driven back at certain points. Near Kaslovska the enemy was driven back everywhere.

"Owing to the enemy's suicidal methods of fighting, the ground in front of our positions forms one great field of corpses."

AUSTRIAN SUBMARINE SENT DOWN NEAR CORFU

London, Aug. 10.—"A French destroyer torpedoed an Austrian submarine on Tuesday north of the island of Corfu," says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Athens.

"It is considered certain," the correspondent adds, "that the submarine sank, with its crew."

HOW BRITISH CAUGHT A MINE SUBMARINE

Story of Events Preceding Bringing of German Craft UC-5 to Port

London, Aug. 10.—Londoners are now able to see for themselves what a German mine-laying submarine is like, for the UC-5 captured by a British destroyer, has been placed on view in the Thames.

She was built in Germany only last January specially for the comparatively safe work of mine-laying, and therefore she is smaller than the big U boats which operate in the Atlantic and the Mediterranean.

Some of them are of 1,200 tons; the UC-5 is only 250 tons, and she carried no guns or torpedoes. She never intended to fight anything—not even an unarmed merchantman. Her business was to sneak out into the North Sea, lay the dreadful mines which may sink the neutral, the fishing boat, the hospital ship—anything that floats—and then sneak back home again.

The inside of the submarine minelayer is not romantic. She has been scientifically gutted of everything that may be of any use as an example or a warning. The German sailor who was left behind to destroy everything was too hurried perhaps to get in his fine work, and it is pleasant to know that all her most delicate instruments and machinery escaped injury.

The interior to-day does not look like a place where one would like to be shut up with 26 Germans for long. The central chamber is about the height of a carriage in the South London Tube, but not nearly so wide. Along the roof are electric wires which conveyed the current, and most of the floor space is taken up by the lockers which contained the electric batteries, the submerging tanks, and the rest of her outfit. For'ard the space was occupied during her outward voyage by those exceedingly unpleasant neighbors, the dozen mines. Allow space for the engine, the watertight bulkheads, and all the rest of it, and it is clear that the 26 Germans on board the UC-5 were a very tight fit. Although they are now prisoners, it is certain that they have a great deal more room.

Story of Capture.

And as to her capture—in April last a torpedo boat destroyer, out exercising off the east coast, captured a German submarine in novel circumstances. When first sighted, the enemy was in difficulties. From the deck of the destroyer, then some distance away, a flag could be seen at the masthead of the submarine, and in the mist it was at first taken to be the Union Jack. Closer inspection proved it to be the German naval ensign, and then it was noticed that the whole of the crew of the submarine appeared to be on deck.

The commander hailed the crew with a brusque invitation to surrender. The submarine men saw the guns trained on them, and they hauled down their flag and put their hands above their heads in the approved "Kamerad" style. At a word from the commander they jumped into the water and swam away from the submarine. Internal explosions followed, and at the last and heaviest a cascade of hammocks and other debris shot out of the open conning-tower to a height of 40 feet. That there was a vent for the explosive forces probably saved the submarine, but as it was the bottom of the vessel was punctured in two places and rivets were started, so that the craft made water quickly.

An attempt to investigate the damage was frustrated by the presence of thick black gases and about two feet of water, but later expert examination showed that although the submarine had laid no mines, two had been released by the force of the explosions, and were foul of the bottom of the vessel.

Contact between the horns, which jutted out all around the mines, and the plates of the vessel would have exploded enough T.N.T. to sink a battleship, and it was an act of real heroism on the part of a young officer that rendered the submarine capable of being brought in as a prize.

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CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Aug. 10.—The following casualties have been announced:

Infantry.

Died of wounds—Pte. Carl Mather, Winnipeg.

Previously reported missing; now officially reported killed in action—Pte. Mervin L. Woods, Second street east and St. Patrick street, North Vancouver.

Missing—Pte. Wm. Chalk, Toronto; Pte. Chas. Hutchison, High River, Alta.; Pte. George Heron, Port Hope, Ont.; Pte. G. H. Jordan, Toronto; Pte. Victor Tarr, Moncton, N. B.

Seriously ill—Pte. Dennis Bertrand, Wedgport, N. S.; Pte. L. Taggart, Goderich, Ont.

Wounded—Pte. G. D. Acton, Brockville, Ont.; Lieut. Charles Belville, Quebec; Pte. W. G. Bloom, Toronto; Pte. Thomas Cable, Peterboro, Ont.; Pte. Ernest Cottrell, Cochrane, Ont.; Pte. Howard Ginder, Fredericton, N. B.; Pte. Geo. Greenfield, Bulyea, Sask.; Pte. Wm. Hough, Charleston, North Ontario; Pte. G. R. McMann, Dundas, Ont.; Pte. H. S. McPhail, Ladstock, Sask.; Pte. Fred Nesbitt, Eastwood, Ont.; Pte. Edwin Stalker, Parry Sound, Ont.; Pte. W. C. Wright, Edmonton; Pte. George Barber, Montreal; Pte. Wm. McCarthy, Pittsburg, Pa.; Pte. W. J. McGuigan, Part Arthur; Pte. Charles Moundess, Emerson, Man.; Pte. John L. Rounthwite, San Francisco; Pte. R. C. Steves, Clairmount, Alta.; Pte. Charles H. Burdett, 2234 Fifteenth avenue W., Vancouver; Pte. Vincent Cavanagh, New Glasgow, N. S.; Pte. W. L. Gurr, Simcoe, Ont.; Pte. Arthur Lemay, Montreal; Pte. Geo. Lilley, Montreal; Lieut. Jos. McPherson, West Royal, P. E. I.; Pte. D. A. Robinson, Plumas, Man.

Previously reported wounded; now officially reported wounded—Lieut. A. H. Gilmour, Winnipeg.

Mounted Rifles.

Missing—Lieut. L. E. Clark, Toronto; Pte. J. W. Stevenson, Regina.

Previously reported missing; now unofficially reported prisoner of war—Pte. Harry Northage, Halifax.

Wounded—Pte. H. F. Chase, Chester, N. S.; Pte. Alex. McLean, Dominion, N. B.

Artillery.

Wounded—Gnr. R. A. Allen, Toronto; Gnr. C. S. Taylor, Peterboro, Ont.; Gnr. R. B. Halpenny, Ottawa; Gnr. K. R. Smith, Halifax.

Engineers.

Missing—Sapper E. M. Desbrisay, 1101 Nicholas street, Vancouver.

Signal Services

Wounded—Pte. Geo. Pflung, Maritta Ohio.

Infantry.

Killed in action—Pte. W. F. Holmes, Toronto.

Died of wounds—Pte. S. A. Colt, Montreal; Pte. Wm. McArthur, Fernie, B.C.

Missing, believed killed—Cpl. A. M. Fraser, St. John, N.B.

Missing—Pte. Wesley Henderson, Toronto; Pte. Wm. Houston, Hamilton.

Wounded—Pte. J. E. Bryant, St. Catherines, Ont.; Sgt. G. A. Gurnier, Montreal; Pte. Charles E. Haggerty, 229 Twenty-ninth street E., North Vancouver; Pte. Roy Hawkins, Severn Bridge, Ont.; Lieut. R. H. Hood, Montreal; Capt. Walter Jewitt, Calgary; Pte. P. C. Leger, Moncton, N.B.

Killed in action—Pte. S. C. Stevens, England; Cpl. Ernest Handyside, Prescott, Ont.; Pte. Robinson, Edwin, Man.; Cpl. Maurice Tanguay, Quebec.

Died of wounds—Pte. Wm. Durward, Scotland; Pte. W. H. Kirk, England; Pte. Stephen Stewart, Russia; Pte. W. J. Armstrong, Ireland; Pte. P. Puttock, England.

Reported missing, believed killed—Pte. G. Hogan, Scotland; Pte. W. E. Noble, England; Pte. Arthur Willett, England; Pte. John Duncan, Galt, Ont.; Pte. Wm. Gason, Quebec; Pte. C. Turner, Windsor, Ont.

Reported missing and wounded, believed killed—Pte. Wm. Fraser, Scotland; Pte. Vernon Place, England.

Missing—Pte. I. Hawkins, Stratford; Lieut. J. Armsby, Toronto; Pte. F. G. Bacon, England; Pte. Wm. Hills, England; Pte. Patrick Baker, Scotland; Pte. G. A. Pearson, England; Pte. Geo. Weare, England.

Dangerously ill—Pte. J. A. Scott, Indian Head, Sask.; Pte. K. Burlashka, Russia.

Wounded—Pte. Wm. Baldwin, England; Pte. John Blain, England; Pte. C. J. Slappam, England; Pte. Gordon Cockburn, Scotland; Pte. Charles Day, England; Pte. Wm. Deuxberry, England; Pte. Wm. Donworth, England; Pte. E. C. Hayman, England; Pte. William Farmer, England; Cpl. T. A. Morris, England; Pte. Thomas McKirdy, Scotland; Pte. Thos. Roberts, England; Pte. Norman Siddle, England; Pte. H. Butler, Toronto; Pte. A. J. Campbell, Fleming, Sask.; Pte. Jos. Dickey, Winnipeg; Pte. A. J. Doucette, Newcastle, N.B.; Pte. Sydney W. Giles, Vancouver, B.C.; Cpl. Frank Hetu, Quebec; Pte. Harry Kanel, Norwood, Man.; Pte. R. Laberge, Montreal; Pte. Jos. Newton, Hamilton; Pte. Geo. Paton, Stratford; Capt. P. F. Powis, Hamilton; Pte. J. Roberts, Montreal; Pte. W. E. Stringer, Red Deer, Alta.; Pte. Thos. Sweeney, St. Mary's, Ont.; Pte. A. W. Totten, St. John, N.B.; Major W. R. Turnbull, Hamilton; Pte. W. F. Hoad, England.

Mounted Rifles.

Killed in action—Pte. E. J. Lee, England.

Previously reported missing; now officially reported died of wounds while prisoners of war—Pte. W. J. Powers, Hastings, Ont.; Pte. Geo. Archer, Scotland.

Wounded—Pte. J. W. Stevenson, Regina; Cpl. Geo. Butterill, Big River, Sask.; Pte. Hugh McCann, New York; Pte. George Polby, Armstrong, B.C.; Pte. E. J. Rafter, Port Arthur.

Reported missing; now returned to duty—Pte. A. E. Williams, England.

Artillery.

Wounded—Gnr. C. Kempton, England; Cpl. Jos. Chamberlain, England; Gnr. H. A. Dunlop, St. Margaret's Bay, N.S.; Lieut. Edward Saer, Toronto.

Engineers.

Wounded—Sapper N. McCartney, Kingston.

Medical Service.

Wounded—Pte. N. J. Bicknell, Dullville, Ont.

AIRSHIP SHEDS NEAR BRUSSELS WERE RAIDED

London, Aug. 10.—An official statement issued last evening said:

"At daybreak this morning, under a heavy fire, an attack was carried out by naval aeroplanes on enemy airship sheds at Evere, near Brussels. The objective was successfully bombarded from a height of 2,000 feet, and eight bombs were observed to hit the sheds. Heavy columns of smoke were seen to issue forth. Our machines returned safely."

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HEROISM OF ITALIAN TROOPS WON SUCCESS

Description of Events Leading Up to Capture of Gorizia

Rome, Aug. 10.—The operations which led up to the capture of Gorizia by the Italians are described in the following official narrative given out here:

"The attack began on August 4 in the Monfalcone section against Hills 85 and 121, east of Rocca. We stormed very powerful enemy works there, taking 143 prisoners, but our adversary had placed in abandoned trenches quantities of bombs, which exploded, giving off clouds of poisonous gases just as our troops entered the captured lines. Heavy masses of the enemy then made counter-attacks, and our troops, stupified or asphyxiated by the gas, were forced to fall back to their own trenches.

"On August 5 the artillery sounded the enemy's whole front with the object of distracting his attention and fixing the ranges accurately. On the morning of August 6 our batteries opened fire simultaneously on the rocky barrier which from Sabotino to Cavario defends the Isonzo and Gorizia to the west, and against Monte San Michele, which forms the northern edge to Gorizia. The artillery action of the day, long and carefully worked out, represented a perfect example of concentrated fire against fortified lines.

Knew Ranges.

"Thanks to our aviators and to the observations of battery officers, the positions of the enemy had all been marked off clearly on target maps and ranges for the extension and lengthening of fire had been calculated with the greatest nicety. Thus, at the proper time a veritable tempest of shells fell in a wholly unexpected manner on the positions of the enemy, demolishing everything systematically.

"Infantry columns then advanced with customary dash, well supported by a curtain of fire by our artillery, and carried the entire formidable Sabotino rampart, which forms the base of the Gorizia bridgehead.

"On the heights which cover the city to the west they stormed the defences of Oslavia and of the summit of Hill 206, which commands Graffenburg. On the plain they drove in a defensive line between the southern border of Podgora and the Isonzo. They also attacked on the right bank of the river as far as Saint Andrea.

"On the southern border of the Carso Italian troops charged very strong lines on the summit of San Michele and the entrenchments running into the San Martino zone.

"Finally, in the Monfalcone sector a battalion of bersaglieri cyclists from the 3rd, 4th and 11th Regiments, after a desperate struggle, stormed all the defences of Hill 85 and held out there against violent concentrated artillery fire, repulsing furious counter-attacks by Austrian infantry.

Imposing Barrier.

"Possession of the lateral pivots of the Gorizia bridgehead being assured by the conquest of Monte Sabotino and Monte San Michele, it remained to take the imposing barrier formed by the heights immediately to the west of the city.

"The battle ebbed and flowed incessantly for three days. The ground was fortified strongly and supported by a great number of lines of defence thrown up by the enemy close to Gorizia, an important centre, which rendered it easy to offer stubborn resistance and enabled the Austrians to make violent counter-attacks. Inch by inch and at the cost of sacrifices, our infantry, with admirable co-operation of our artillery, conquered first the crest and then the southeastern slopes of the heights and stormed innumerable trenches, gradually driving the defenders before them, notwithstanding repeated counter-attacks.

"As a result of all of this continuous effort all the heights on the right bank of the Isonzo, forming the bridgehead of Gorizia, and Monte San Michele, on the left bank, were captured and are securely held by the Italians. The line of the Isonzo below Tolmino is assured to them, and their guns, dominating Gorizia, drove out the enemy lurking among the ruins. This uninterrupted three-day fight covers with glory the troops of the Third Army, commanded by the Duke of Aosta."

BOWSERISM DOOMED IN FORT GEORGE

Hon. W. R. Ross Will Go Down to Defeat Before John McInnes

Prince George, Aug. 10.—Far from being a "cinch" for Hon. W. R. Ross, Fort George looks worse than Fernie. A meeting was held in the interests of John McInnes, Socialist candidate, who is receiving the support of the Liberals, but Mr. Ross, though in the city, and invited to attend or send a representative, did neither. There is absolutely no enthusiasm for the government and not much more for Mayor W. G. Gillett, the Independent Conservative, who tried when nominated to pose as a Liberal and get the Liberal support notwithstanding the Liberal candidate had been withdrawn to make sure of Mr. Ross's defeat by a big majority.

The withdrawal of the Liberal candidate has united nearly everybody against Bowserism, except the small machine behind Gillett, who is believed in some quarters to be the tool of Mr. Ross. Anyway he has a campaign fund, the origin of which is a mystery. Mayor Gillett was a miserable failure at the meeting and never was a public man flayed so thoroughly as the mayor by Mr. McInnes, H. G. Perry, president of the local Liberal Association, and others. There are still rumors of Mr. Gillett's withdrawal but he has gone so far now it is unlikely.

PAPER GROWS SCARCER FOR NEWSPAPERS IN U. S.

Washington, Aug. 10.—The crisis in the news print paper situation, which already has cut down newspaper profits enormously, will not be reached till late October, when contracts come up for renewal, according to reports received from many sources by the federal trade commission. The presidential election and the war are expected to increase an already unparalleled demand for news print, which manufacturers tell the trade commission they will hardly be able to meet. This year, for the first time, they have not been able to lay up a large reserve during the summer.

SHOP MEN OF C. P. R. ARE GIVEN INCREASES

Winnipeg, Aug. 10.—An agreement which has been under consideration since June 15 was concluded yesterday between representatives of shop men of the C. P. R. and officials concerned for a general increase in wages, which will apply on all of the three divisions from Fort William to the Pacific coast. Conditions of work and other points in connection with the operation of the railway shops are covered in the agreement.

The wage increase averages from two to two and half cents per hour for all trades, the highest being three cents an hour for tubers in the boiler shops.

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RETAKING OF LEMBERG IS BROUGHT NEARER

Possibilities Following Gen. Letchitzky's Great Gains East of Stanislau

Petrograd, Aug. 10.—The capture of Tysmienica, Galicia, only eight miles east of Stanislau, by General Letchitzky's troops, seems to make almost certain the early fall of Stanislau and Halicz and to bring nearer the recapture of Lemberg. General Count von Bothmer, who for a long time has stood firmly entrenched along the upper Strypa before Tarnopol, will hardly be able longer to withstand the squeezing process to which he is being subjected by the Russian generals on the south and north of his position, in the view of the military observers, who regard as inevitable a falling back along the whole of the Austrian Tarnopol front.

The fresh victory in Galicia gives the Russians an exceedingly advantageous front line with headquarters on the Pruth, west of Kolomea.

General Count von Bothmer still has two railways over which he can make good his retreat, but one of these is seriously threatened by General Sakharoff's push southwest from Zlochoff, which lies to the south of Brody and 45 miles east of Lemberg.

The capture of more than 7,000 prisoners, of whom nearly half are Germans, is pointed out by the military observers as an indication of the disorganization of the Austro-Germans.

200 LIEUTENANTS FROM CANADA TO ENGLAND

Ottawa, Aug. 10.—Two hundred lieutenants will be sent from Canada to England immediately. They are wanted to complete their training in England and form a reserve of officers to fill vacancies as they occur in the Canadian forces at the front.

A specified number of men holding positions as lieutenants will be taken from each of the divisional areas in Canada. They will be selected by the head of each district. When chosen they will be sent at once to the Canadian training camps in England, where they will be given the military finish needed to qualify them for work in the trenches.

This is the beginning of a new system of providing reinforcements for the four Canadian divisions in the field.

HARPER'S CAMP ALMOST SOLID FOR YORSTON

Mr. Brewster Spoke There; Macdonald and Yorston Spoke at Soda Creek

Harper's Camp, B. C., Aug. 2.—No one who drives in here over the 35 miles of bad road from 150-Mile House for the first time could have any idea of the amount of settlement there is around this place. Of course, that is speaking comparatively, for there are really very few, although more than in some other spots. Driving in here there are practically no signs of settlement along the road. What there are are the homes of Indians or breeds for the most part.

For a considerable distance the land is held under purchase from the government, the chief offender in this regard being a Victorian of whom the people hereabout speak in anything but kindly terms. From here a road leads off to the country further east, where there are several settlers, some of whom came in to the Liberal meeting here. One of them, a settler named Chambers, travelled over 20 miles, and owing to the primitive state of the roads he had to wait for daylight to return home. He said he would not have missed the meeting for ten times the inconvenience of getting here.

Lack of Land.

A person has to travel through the country, especially in the northern interior, to appreciate the curse of the land purchase system and the lack of land for the genuine settler. The farms which are occupied in here have been taken up since long before the present evil land law came into being. Were it not for that there would not be as many as there are. The scattered settlement renders the provision of roads and trails a difficulty. The road in from 150-Mile is about as bad as it can be in spots, and the work of road-making does not appear to be as intelligently gone about as it should be.

The same complaints about road work being utilized as a means of keeping voters in line behind the government candidates, of petty graft in connection with it, and of the political interference of road superintendents are heard here as elsewhere. Not only has a man to belong to the Conservative Association or to pledge support to John A. Fraser in this district to secure employment on road work, but he must be a voter, no matter how old a resident of the province he may be. There is a case of a married man with a wife and family who needs the assistance thus to be obtained, but because he has no vote he cannot get taken on.

Oldest in B. C.

The Harper lease, taken out by Thaddens Harper, is the oldest mining lease in British Columbia. The old workings, close to the town, are believed to be still rich in mineral, but deep down. From them have been taken out about a million and a half of gold in the years of their operation. John R. Williams, one of the oldest mining men in here, was associated with Harper and has some interesting stories about the old camp, the men who made it famous and the methods of operation. Although over 70, Mr. Williams, clear-eyed and alert, is actively engaged in mining, and was leaving the morning after the meeting to do some development work on claims of his.

The chief work being done here now is by the International Dredging & Exploration Company, in which a number of Victorians are interested. The general manager is W. E. Loveridge, well known in the capital, who is making time from the work he is actively engaged in of installing a dredging plant to render some service to the Liberal cause. It is hoped by Mr. Loveridge to have the plant ready for operation and be securing the precious mineral before the winter comes.

Over 100 Present.

The meeting held by Mr. Brewster here took place in the school house, and was presided over by Robert Campbell. There were just over one hundred people present, a number which surprised even the local Liberals, and showed the interest taken in the visit of the Liberal leader. Women suffrage proved popular here, and no doubt was left that this plank of the Liberal platform meets almost unanimous approval from the miners and settlers of Harper's camp.

When the premier was here his egotism appears to have led him beyond all bounds. He told the people that he was the only man in British Columbia who could manage its affairs; that he was the only man in Canada, in fact, who could borrow money on provincial credit. He called Mr. Brewster a lunatic, and Mr. Macdonald a crook, and further made the lying assertion that the Liberal leader had not been able to make a success of his own business. His wild ravings overshot the mark, however, and people ask how it is that Mr. Brewster is not in an asylum and his lieutenant behind the bars if the attorney general believes what he says. An unkind critic of the premier here ventured the suggestion that the latter destination would be not unfitting for him, and considered that the actions of the government in the past suggested both criminal and lunatic at many points.

Spoke at Ball.

John A. Fraser, the Bowser candidate and former member, has a faculty for putting his foot in it. Harper's Camp has considerable social life, and last winter held a masquerade ball, to which John M. Yorston, Liberal candidate, was invited as a private citizen. When Mr. Fraser heard of his rival's intended attendance he and his road superintendent invited themselves and he enlivened (?) the proceedings with a two-hour speech. In the course of this he predicted that the government was going to be overwhelmingly sustained in the then approaching by-elections and advised his hearers to be governed in their future political action by the result of these. Following the election of Mr. Brewster in Victoria, a prominent Liberal wired Mr. Fraser that his prediction had been duly noted and future action would be governed by the results. Judging from the cool reception of the premier and the contrasting warm cordiality of the welcome to Mr. Brewster, Harper's Camp is going to vote for Yorston at least five to one.

The P.G.E. Grade.

Journeying down the Cariboo road from Quesnel, the grade of the P.G.E. is in plain sight at several points, and close inspection of it does not improve the opinion which a general view creates. Cheapness marks it throughout, although the prices charged by the contractors to themselves as owners would have paid for good work several times over. Bonds to the extent of $42,000 a mile have been sold or hypothecated, but one of the principal subcontractors is authority for the statement that an average of $15,000 a mile on the whole line would be sufficient to built it. This is confirmed by one of the engineers who was engaged on the work. He says he would have taken the contract at $20,000 a mile and made a reasonable profit out of it. So easy is the major part of the work north of Lillooet that station men have not been anxious to take it, there not being enough in it for them. This is said to be the reason why there is a big gap around Lac la Hache, where the grade has not been touched at all as yet.

Australian Ranch.

Twenty-one miles below Quesnel lies Australian Ranch, the home of John M. Yorston and his brother Robert. Another brother looks after their stock range in the Chilcoten. The Messrs. Yorston have many hundred acres under cultivation and are adding to this constantly. Grain, hay, roots and other crops are grown, and stock-raising is engaged in largely. All the brothers are thorough farmers, they personally oversee all the branches of their business, and they have acquired an enviable reputation for honor and straightdealing. John M. Yorston is just the sort of man that is badly needed in the legislature.

At Soda Creek.

Twenty-five miles farther along lies Soda Creek, the first town south of Quesnel. It lies between the main road and the Fraser, on a spur running in for the length of its one street. An afternoon meeting was held in Doherty's hotel by Mr. Macdonald and Mr. Yorston, while Mr. Brewster came on to Harper's Camp. The gathering of sixty persons there surprised the most optimistic Liberal. The chairman on that occasion was Dr. Samuel E. M. Hoops, a long-time Conservative resident.

Louis J. Crosina has a ranch and store at 153-Mile House, and is a stalwart Liberal of sterling character. Mr. Crosina has lately put up a new store, built of exceptionally large-sized logs, the substantial structure housing a very extensive stock of general merchandise. He is a man of mechanical ability, and a feature of the store is a disappearing stairway giving access to the storerooms above. By a system of wire cables and counterpoises the stair stows away in the ceiling when not in use, economizing space and adding to the appearance of the store. Warm recollections of the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Crosina will linger in the minds of those who accompanied Mr. Brewster on his tour.

An Incident.

Mr. Crosina figures in an example of Bowser and Fraser road work, which was referred to by Mr. Forston at the 150-Mile House. Robert Rutherford had been road superintendent in the district but he fell under Mr. Fraser's displeasure because he criticized the government and the member. After he had got ready for the summer's work and the men under him had outfitted at Crosina's, Fraser had him dismissed and Henry Moffatt was appointed. The latter went to Mrs. Crosina in the absence on the coast of her husband and demanded that the goods be taken back. Naturally the demand was refused, in spite of Moffatt's attempts at bull-dozing. In the end he got another road-gang to take over the goods and was thus able to buy his supplies from an Englishman at Williams Lake, on Fraser's instructions.

Fraser is reported to have set going the story that Rutherford was dismissed because he had taken a commission on supplies bought. At the 150-Mile meeting Mr. Forston read affidavits from Crosina and Rutherford denying this gratuitous libel on a capable and honest official. Incidentally there is somewhat of a joke regarding Mr. Crosina's affidavit, which he swore to before Government Agent Sampson, a stipendiary magistrate, and the joke is on Mr. Sampson. At first he did not want to take Mr. Crosina's affidavit, then he asked for time to secure advice, and when he finally took it he did not append a jurat but simply signed his own name under Mr. Crosina's. The effect is that the statements in the affidavit are made over the joint signatures!

For Empire.

This district has given five of its sons to the defence of the empire. One of these has made the supreme sacrifice and three others have been wounded. To one of them has been awarded a D. C. M. A striking example of how the soldier is actually treated by the Bowser government, in spite of its bluster about what it is doing and going to do, is afforded in the case of the man who was killed. He left a pre-emption to go to the front, and while away it was cancelled. The matter was brought to the attention of the premier while here, after the soldier had been killed, and it is understood the matter is to be remedied.

From Quesnel, south to Clinton, and on the trips in to Barkerville and Harper's Camp, Mr. Brewster's party was under the guidance of Frank Murphy, in whose car they traveled. Mr. Murphy is one of the family of boys born at Lac la Hache, a second of whom is Mr. Justice Murphy and another James Murphy, of Ashcroft. He is acquainted with every inch of the road, knows everyone living along it, and has all the history of the Cariboo at his finger-tips. In his political views he is the same ardent Liberal the Murphys have all been known as.

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ZEPPELINS DID NO MILITARY DAMAGE

London, Aug. 10.—The following official statement dealing with the latest zeppelin raid was issued last evening:

"The eastern coast of the United Kingdom was raided by hostile airships this morning, between 12.30 and 2.30 o'clock. The east and northeast coast districts were visited by raiders at widely distant points. Independent observers of the raiders estimate their numbers variously at between seven and ten.

"None of the airships ventured more than a few miles inland except in the extreme north. The attacks seem to have been directed solely against towns situated on the coast. Indiscriminate destruction of property seems to have been the main object of the raid.

"Air-craft guns came into action off four places, and seem to have been successful in nearly every case in driving off the raiders. One raider was pursued several miles to sea by one naval aeroplane.

"In view of the action of the guns and the apparent uncertainty of the movement of airships, it is not surprising that the enemy failed to attain his ends. The bombs mostly fell wide of the centres of population. Exception must be made in the case of one northeastern town, where the following casualties have been reported: One man died of shock, two women and three children were killed, and four men, five women and three children were injured. In another northeastern town, one man, one woman and three boys were injured. The total damage amounted to four houses partly burned, numerous windows broken in several different towns and villages, fifty feet of railway blown up, one horse killed, and some lesser and insignificant damage.

"None of the damage was of the slightest military importance.

"About 100 high explosive bombs and more than 60 incendiary bombs have been traced. The enemy probably disposed of more bombs, as several were heard exploding on impact with the sea, and others fell on waste lands. None of these is included in the foregoing figures."

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AWAY THEY GO!

"The record of the Conservative administration in this province will stand the severest criticism from the standpoint of business government. . . . The establishment of public credit must always be the first care of any administration, and in making this the foundation stone of its policy, the Conservative administration exhibited great business sagacity."—Colonist.

The above is a fair sample of the campaign matter which is going the rounds of the government press. It invites comment more for what it indicates than for its absurd claims. It reflects a hopeless inability to credit the public with the possession of ordinary intelligence, the capacity for understanding what is taking place or of learning anything from its own experience. It shows that its authors learned nothing from the recent by-elections; they still think the most arrant nonsense will be eagerly accepted at its face value. Their point of view may be summed up this way: Any old thing will go just as in Sir Richard's time. The by-elections were mere accidents. Even Mackenzie & Mann's pledges, rehashed, will be convincing.

Bowserism, public credit, great business sagacity—what a grotesque combination! How it must impress the thousands of victims of the Dominion Trust conspiracy! How the revelations of illegality, the dual relationship of Mr. Bowser, chief law officer of this province and solicitor of the company, the utter failure to enforce the regulations governing the operation of trust companies, and the notorious unconstitutional drag-net bill must have exalted our credit in the eyes of the investors of the United Kingdom who were robbed!

Great business sagacity, Mackenzie & Mann and Pacific Great Eastern! Here is another combination. This province has been burdened with a liability of $80,000,000 on account of these two railway systems, a liability twice as great as that assumed by any other province in Canada. And neither is completed or near completion. We are paying the interest bill of one, and, according to the Finance Minister of Canada, must pay the interest charges of the other, both running into millions. More than that, we are assuming the entire construction cost of the P. G. E., although the ownership will be vested in the promoters. Great business sagacity? Nearly $7,000,000 were paid to the company in defiance of the law and Mr. Bowser, premier and attorney-general, the supposedly zealous guardian of the public interest, is the company's solicitor.

"Public credit." "Great business sagacity." The government is spending two dollars for every dollar of revenue it receives, the deficit bringing the total discrepancy between income and outgo in five or six consecutive years to some $20,000,000, wiping out our credit balance of $8,000,000 and increasing the public debt to something like $30,000,000 in that short period. And this is war time. What would become of the credit and reputation for business sagacity of a merchant who ran his business that way? Is that how Mr. Bowser, Mr. Stewart, Mr. Campbell and the others conduct their own private business affairs? Not by a long shot. They only do this in dealing with the credit and funds of other people.

"Great business sagacity." "Let the speculator have his chance," urged Mr. Bowser, attorney-general and also solicitor for some of the speculators. "Large areas of land near the railroads are held by speculators who are trying to exploit them," admitted Sir Richard McBride in the legislature two years ago. The province is owed many millions on account of this squandering of resources which should have been reserved for genuine settlement and development. High class timber lands on this island valued at $500,000 were alienated to companies as second-class agricultural lands for $17,000. Many square miles of Strathcona Park are locked up in timber concessions which cannot be raised unless the country spends $400,000 on the purchase of those rights.

"Great business sagacity"— a palace in London that finally will cost us a million dollars, involving a high annual cost, including $15,000 for Sir Richard McBride, while in British Columbia a moratorium law has to be enforced to alleviate the oppressive conditions under which the taxpayers are laboring. After this we need not be surprised to hear that Price Ellison's venture in cows was a triumph of statesmanship.

PUBLIC FUNERAL.

Announcement is made in another column that the funeral of the late Hon. Edgar Dewdney, which is to be held on Saturday morning, will be of a public character. The people of Victoria, therefore, will have an opportunity of paying in person a final tribute of respect to the memory of one whose services to the country in many fields have formed a full and lasting record.

ECONOMIC BURDEN.

An eminent British economist predicts that the debt of the United Kingdom at the conclusion of the war will be $20,000,000,000. This will be six times the total debt of the nation at the outbreak of the struggle. It is a formidable figure, yet in proportion to the annual income of the country it will not be as heavy a burden as the national debt was after the Napoleonic war. Then the burden was $4,000,000,000, but the yearly income of the nation did not exceed $1,500,000,000. To-day the income is $12,000,000,000. Thus for the national debt in relation to the annual revenue of the people to be as heavy after this war as it was after the long conflict with Napoleon it would have to be a great deal more than $20,000,000,000.

A few days ago we published an article from a New York paper showing how quickly a nation of energetic, industrious and courageous people can repair the economic ravages of war, the experience of France being cited as an illustration. The wars of Napoleon left the country crippled financially and, what is infinitely worse, in man-power. Less than fifty years later found it engaged in a war with Austria. Twelve years after that France fought a disastrous struggle with Germany, for which she had to pay indemnities in one form and another exceeding $1,000,000,000, in addition to the high cost of the war itself, while she was deprived of two rich provinces of several million people. Yet in a few years she squared the account with the invader, rebuilt the towns and cities that had been destroyed and became in per capita wealth the richest nation in the world. France's debt per head after this war will be vastly greater than that of the United Kingdom. Nevertheless there is not the slightest doubt that her recovery will be as impressive as it was after the war forty-five years ago.

WHY HE WAS THERE.

We confess to being particularly impressed with one paragraph of W. H. Price's letter to us which is printed in another column to-day. It is this: "The statement that I was acting for the Conservative organization is another error. I represented myself only. I was interested, as the occasion was historical like many other matters brought about by the war."

This does not mean that Mr. Price was present at the polling as the representative of a new party whose membership so far is confined to himself. He was there as a private citizen purely, his chief object being to enjoy the satisfaction of participating in a novel, historical event. It was so different from anything in the way of elections he had ever beheld in his long and varied experience. It was something to be well-remembered, to be talked about in years to come. Was no photographer there? A picture of those present at that historical event due to the great war should have been taken and enlarged.

There was besides the patriotic and imperialistic aspect of Mr. Price's presence on the vessel. In this respect he set an example which should have been emulated by our citizens. They also should have been present; it was as new and strange to them as it was to Mr. Price. It was as much their duty to observe the historical occasion which like many others may be traced to the epochal conflict of ideals as that of Mr. Price. They may never have another opportunity; indeed, it is quite certain that they will not.

We presume that the same motive inspired Mr. Price's other jaunts to Esquimalt previous to polling day, that it was purely as a private citizen that he renewed old acquaintances in that vicinity. We are informed he had visited the warship a day or two before the voting took place. Well, what of it? He may have gone there only to accustom himself to the roll of the ship, while she strained at her anchor in the turbulent waters of Esquimalt harbor, in order that the historical event that was about to take place should not be marred by a sudden, depressing attack of sea-sickness.

Germany's great, tender heart is broken once more. The French are bombarding their own city of Peronne and destroying many priceless works of art. But we have a suspicion that the French guns are destroying some things in Peronne that are not works of art nor a credit to nature, which created them, namely, Huns. It is the misfortune of the fated city to be in possession of the Germans, and after such an occupation there is no way of purifying it and making it the fit fture abode of civilized beings but by fire. The Huns have been so tender in their treatment of the places they have taken in Belgium and France that their wail of desolation over the destruction of Peronne will fall sympathetically upon neutral ears—perhaps.

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The Austrians explain that Gorizia fell because it was ill-defended. That announcement probably means that some one will be held to "strict accountability." It is not likely to be any one in "high command." Neither branch of the Hun family ever gets after the individual "higher up," that is not to the point of placing the offender in front of a firing squad. That is an honor reserved exclusively for the common soldier. But when reason dethroned in Hunland recovers its poise there is a possibility that "der tag" may come even for the Kaiser.

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"By order of Sir Sam Hughes, K.C.B., the horse of Toronto's recruiting enthusiasm can be led to the water of opportunity to enlist in Montreal regiments. But, Sir Sam Hughes or no Sir Sam Hughes, the young men of Toronto cannot be made to drink in the appeals of Montreal recruiting officers. Ontario is instructed by the spectacle of this city and province being made a recruiting ground for Montreal."—Toronto Telegram.

Heavens! What an orgy of metaphors! Somebody must have been drinking other stuff than recruiting appeals.

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It is said the Fox of the Balkans has taken refuge in his hole, which happens to be one of the castles of the Hohenzollerns. That may not be literally true as yet, but it will come true; and Ferdinand of Bulgaria will have the company of the All-Highest of Potsdam before this war is over.

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Our morning contemporary ignored Billy Sunday's speech, but Bill should not feel peeved. Did it not ignore Harry Pooley's outburst, too? It is all very strange, for Harry is a friend of our contemporary, which also happens to be a Sunday paper.

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A dispatch says the spirit of "blood and iron" is being purged as by fire out of the German constitution. We shall believe that when the German people rise up and deal with the Hohenzollerns according to their deserts.

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From the trend of current military events it is hard to determine whether Turkey or Austria is the sicker man of Europe. We should not be surprised if Austria were first to fly the white flag of unconditional surrender.

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The Hun does not care a button what happens to his once "illustrious allies" so long as he can defend his own frontiers. But the time is coming when the guns also will thunder before his gates.

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Altruistic, patriotic Mr. Price explains that he appeared on the deck of the Rainbow on polling days for the sole purpose of confronting a crisis in the affairs of the empire.

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Harry Price has written us another letter. Harry's writings are almost as thrilling to us as Billy Sunday's picturesque discourses appear to be to a considerable number of people.

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After many months of patient preparation Italy has struck her gait and is going strong.

TO THOSE WHO HAVE FALLEN.

Honor the dead! those who have fought
for us;
Glory and liberty, each have they sought
for us;
Life was the price of the glory they
brought for us—
Honor the dead!

Honor the dead! those who were brave
for us;
Think of the all they so readily gave
for us;
Theirs were the willing hearts—now in
the grave for us—
Honor the dead!

Honor the dead! those who were tried
for us;
Who, to the wrath of the foemen replied
for us;
Fearless they fought and fell, nobly they
died for us—
Honor the dead!

August, 1914, and August, 1916.

New York Sun.

The special correspondent of the Vossiche Zeitung, Max Osborn, writing from the German headquarters in the west, makes in a pessimistic mood several comments upon the present situation in Europe that offer food for reflection. "After two years of war the angel of destruction," he says, "is passing through the ranks of the German army with a fury and mercilessness as if the death dance of battle had just begun. . . . Germany's rising power has shown, however, in the last two years that it knows how to beat this thought of destruction. We stand differently as compared with August, 1914. Unexampled deeds lie between, but still the concluding point has yet to be reached and everything is in the balance of life or death."

The difference between the Germany of 1914 and the Germany of 1916 is a matter of degree and not of kind. Two years ago the power for evil that lurked in Prussian militarism was not known to the German people, much less to the world at large. The kaiser's boast had been that for two generations he had preserved the peace of Europe and that he maintained a great army for that purpose alone. And a careless, short sighted, fundamentally optimistic public took him at his word.

But when in July, 1914, the darkest crisis in the history of the German race arose, when Francis Joseph, with the consent of the kaiser, declared war on Serbia, the great peace preserver was revealed to an astounded world as the relentless war lord. The sword that he had long been engaged in sharpening was shown to be not, as he had asserted, merely a weapon of defence but a blade with which he was to hack his way through neutral territory to the end that he might attain either world dominion or downfall.

As Max Osborn says, "unexampled deeds lie between" August 1, 1914, and August 1, 1916. They are deeds for which a Nero or an Attila would blush, deeds that this generation regrets to realize will be known to and judged by posterity.

Two years ago Prussian militarism was indulging in a mad, evil dream that carried an army of unjustified invaders to the very gates of Paris, where the dreamers had a rude awakening that forced them to confront open eyed certain grim realities that are more menacing to them to-day than when Von Kluck was compelled to retreat to the Marne. The dance of death that was to end merrily with a Deutschland uber alles still continues, but the dancers who remain, and those who come to fill their gaps, are growing weary of the grim, purposeless sport.

It may be, as Max Osborn asserts, that Germany knows how to beat "the thought of destruction," but the tragedy of it all lies in the fact that two years ago her people knew not how to beat the Prussian militarists' thought of conquest. There is much sympathy among the neutral nations of the world for a people that became in an evil hour the victims of a false ideal, who were hypnotized from the top downward by an influence that made for their own undoing. Slowly but surely the truth is becoming clear to the German nation that it has been sacrificed to a vaulting ambition that looked at the realities of the twentieth century through eyes blinded by mediaeval misconceptions. And the pity of it is that millions upon millions of innocent men, women and children are paying the price of death and misery for a nightmare that a hereditary monarch mistook for a revelation from the Almighty.

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HORWOOD'S LAST DAY ON STAND AT WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Aug. 10.—Counsel defending Sir Rodmond Roblin, George R. Coldwell and J. H. Howden, former provincial cabinet ministers, announced this forenoon when the trial was resumed that their cross-examination of V. W. Horwood, former provincial architect, was concluded. A. J. Andrews, K.C., chief defence counsel, stated that he would cross-examine on documents put in by the crown yesterday. It was requested on behalf of all the accused that all statements volunteered by Horwood in giving evidence and not brought out by questions, be expunged from the records. Mr. Justice Prendergast said he would note the request.

R. N. Craig, for the crown, then began a re-examination of the witness, who is spending his thirteenth day in the box and probably his last. Mr. Craig had not concluded at noon. Slow progress was made, a considerable part of the time being occupied with argument on objections raised by the defence. Forty-six objections were entered during the session. Mr. Andrews submitted that many questions asked by Mr. Craig were not based on the cross-examination and in a number of cases the witness was not permitted to answer.

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CLOUDBURST CAUSED MANY DEATHS IN W. VIRGINIA

Huntington, W. Va., Aug. 10.—A report reached here this morning to the effect that Jarolds Valley, a town of 500 inhabitants in Boone County, at the head of Coal River, was washed away in yesterday's cloudburst and that 75 of its population had lost their lives.

That section of Jarolds Valley between Fields and Joe's Creek was swept clean by the waters. It is said that at least 500 houses were washed away. The inhabitants had no warning of the approach of the water, and it is expected that the loss of life may be greater than that on Paint and Cabin Creeks.

More than 2,000 residents of the valley are perched on hill tops, the majority of them without sufficient clothing and all of them in danger of starvation.

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TWENTY OFFICERS GO TO ENGLAND

Col. Duff Stuart Says Subalterns From This District Will Be Selected at Once

Col. Duff Stuart, D. O. C., who returned yesterday from Vernon, announces that about 20 subalterns from this station are to be sent to England at once. A call has gone out for 200 from Canada and of these British Columbia will provide a good share. The officers will be chosen from C. E. F. units that have been trained here. The names are being submitted at once, and as soon as they have been formally accepted will be made public. The number chosen will be made up very largely of those who were left over from other units that have gone to the front. These are now to be given an opportunity to see service.

The training of the Western Canadian units at both the Vernon and Sidney camps has been interrupted somewhat by the fact that leave is granted to the men to take part in the harvesting operations. Many of the men from the Vernon camp have gone to the wheat fields of Alberta and until they return at the end of the month extensive training operations are at a standstill. At Sidney not many have left the ranks because the harvest is only just commencing on the island, but it is expected that a number will secure temporary leave in order to help the farmers.

Practically all the men will be back in camp by the end of this month and then the serious business of training them for service at the front will recommence. They will remain in the training camps probably until late in October when they will return to winter quarters. It will be quite easy to move because their quarters are all ready waiting for them.

BANTAMS IN LAST STAGE OF RECRUITING

143rd Battalion Now Has Total of 930 Men; Staff Renews Efforts

The British Columbia Bantams are now on the last lap of their recruiting campaign. With a total enlistment of 930 men the last stage of the work of enlistment, the final hundred, is now under way. The Bantams have been rallying men to the colors with energy, and during the past month the number of enlistments in this battalion will vie with that of any unit amongst the many now enlisting men in Canada. The work is difficult in Victoria where fewer men are enrolling with every passing week, but the staff engaged in the work is maintaining its efforts without abatement, and a number have promised to come forward as soon as the orders to stand by are received, and this time is not far distant.

The 143rd now stands second in point of seniority in the battalions in British Columbia, the first being the 131st, which is about ready to leave Vernon. Recently an order was issued to all recruiting officers throughout this military district that the chief attention was to be paid to enrolling men in the senior battalions. The Bantams have another advantage. Being a battalion formed for a special purpose they will undoubtedly be sent overseas as a unit.

There are two Bantam battalions in the Dominion, the 143rd and 216th, the latter being mobilized at Toronto. The 216th was started about a week after the 143rd was mobilized, and for a time it led the local battalion in its enlistments. In May it had 30 more men than the local unit, but at the close of July the British Columbia Bantams led by over 150 men, and are continuing to increase their lead.

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Lieut. Harvey Permanently Appointed to Have Charge of Returned Soldiers.

Lieut. Jas. Harvey, who has for some time past been in charge of the invalided soldier for this province, has been confirmed in his appointment. Lieut. Harvey was at the front with the Princess Patricia Light Infantry. Col. Thompson, medical superintendent of the Military Hospitals Commission, who returned yesterday from a visit to the Yukon, made the announcement. He represents the Yukon constituency in the House of Commons. He was accompanied on his northern trip by Hon. Dr. Roche.

Whist Drive.—Baxter Review, No. 8, W. B. A., will hold a whist drive on Monday, August 14 at 8.15, in the Foresters hall, Broad street. All Maccabees and friends are cordially invited.

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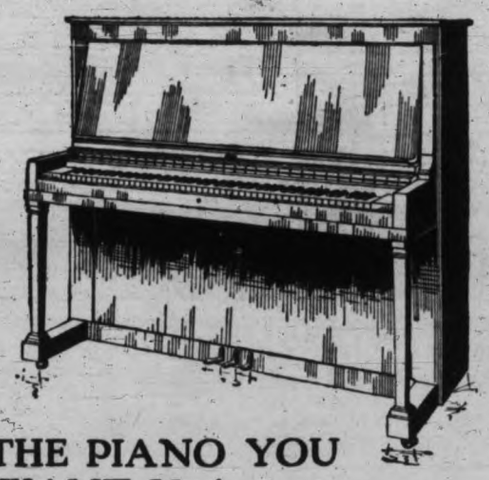
West Saanich Women's Institute.—The West Saanich Women's Institute held the regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. O. Wallace, Brentwood Bay on Tuesday. Ideal weather and pretty surroundings added much to the afternoon's enjoyment. Dr. Helen Ryan, of Victoria, gave a most interesting talk on the subject of "Better Babies," which was much appreciated by all. A baby show was a feature of the day. Ten babies were entered and Dr. Ryan had much difficulty in making her decisions. The institute picnic was arranged to take place on Wednesday, August 16, at the Experimental Farm. A tea for the piano fund will be given at the home of Mrs. Verdier on Tuesday, August 22.



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Oak Bay Red Cross.—The Oak Bay committee will meet in the work rooms at the school house on Oak Bay avenue on Friday at 5 p. m.

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Liberal Workers' Meeting.—A meeting of Liberal workers will be held at Sooke to-morrow night for the purpose of arranging for the carrying on of the campaign to secure the return of A. W. McCurdy. Many of the old-time supporters of Mr. Pooley in the Sooke district are now working against him, and it is a certainty that Mr. McCurdy will get a good deal of support from the farmers and others at that end of the constituency.

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Vice-Presidents to Meet.—Commissioner Cuthbert is leaving to-day for Seattle to take part in a conference of the vice-presidents of the Georgian Circuit Association. Alderman Todd will go over to-morrow for the same purpose. There will be representatives from Spokane, Portland, Tacoma and Vancouver. These cities with Victoria work together for mutual benefit.

First Baptist Church.—Rev. J. Willard Litch, B. A., of the Ruth Morton Memorial church, Vancouver, will be the preacher at First Baptist church here for the next two Sundays, August 13 and 20.

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City School Board. — Instead of meeting last evening, the city school board will hold its monthly session two weeks hence, on August 23, at which the final arrangements will be made for the opening of term on the ensuing Monday.

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Retail Merchants' Picnic.—The city council will be asked at its next meeting to declare a civic holiday on August 19, for the picnic to Deep Bay by the Retail Merchants' Association. As most of the stores will close in the morning, it is thought desirable to have uniformity by the proclamation of a public holiday.

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Aid for Red Cross.—South Saanich Farmers' Institute held a very enjoyable basket picnic at "Island View Beach," at which a large number of the members and their friends were present. A programme of sports was arranged by the executive committee consisting of the Misses Stewart, Deam, Radcliffe, Mitchel, Farmer, Tubman and Gold. The events were all keenly contested and furnished much amusement for both young and old. Island View beach, recently improved by the Saanich municipality, is an ideal spot for summer recreation and promises to be a popular resort for the district. Members of the Women's Institute had charge of the stands and attended the wants of the inner man. The receipts from the different stands, at which a considerable sum was realized, were donated to the Red Cross.

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St. John Ambulance Association Certificates.—Certificates have arrived for the following ladies and gentlemen who have successfully completed the St. John Ambulance Association courses in either Home Nursing or First Aid to the Injured in classes conducted by Dr. W. J. C. Tomalin and Dr. A. B. Hudson: Dr. Tomalin's Home Nursing Class—Miss Agnes N. Anderson, Mrs. Florence Agnew, Miss Laura Best, Miss Addie Blakeway, Miss Jocelyn Bridgman, Miss Eva Carey, Miss Beryl Duke, Mrs. Florence Grant, Mrs. Amy Gardiner, Miss Muriel Gibson, Mrs. Gretchen Halsall, Mrs. Lucy Hobbs, Miss Annie P. Mercer, Miss Myrtle Morrison, Miss Linda Majken Nelsson, Miss Isabel Payne, Miss Frances Reid, Miss Grace Robertson, Mrs. Dorothy Stanier, Miss Jessie Stirling, Miss May Stokes, Mrs. May Verrinder, Miss Marguerite Verrinder, Miss Kathleen Wheatley, Mrs. Emily Wilkinson and Miss Ella Wilkinson. Dr. Hudson's First Aid Classes—Miss Olive Kilpatrick, Miss Dorothy Matthews, Miss Jessie Long McCulloch, Miss Leonore Pearce, Miss Gertrude Rich, Miss Kitty Smith, Miss Elizabeth Mary Tobin, Miss Ada Topp and Messrs. William A. Aitken, Herbert S. Anscomb, Frank S. DeGrey, Robert Greaves, G. Edward Grist, George Gulley, Lionel J. Greaves, Harry L. Hopkins, John Phillips, William J. Robinson, Frederick Sloan, Thomas H. Stout, Bert Schlengemann, George Thompson, William R. Vaughan, Charles J. Walsh, John O. Welch, William J. Walton and Seabrook Young. Certificates may be received by ladies calling at the Y. W. C. A. headquarters, corner Douglas and Broughton streets, and gentlemen at the Y. M. C. A. headquarters, corner Blanshard and View streets.

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Victoria Times: Aug. 10, 1891.

There were thousands of people at Chemainus river on Saturday attending the first annual picnic of the employees of the Albion works. Four special trains left here during the day.

E. A. Leigh, of the firm of Davidson & Leigh, real estate and insurance agents, San Francisco, is in the city. Mr. Leigh left Victoria, which was then his home, for San Francisco, where he has been engaged ever since. He is the son of the late William Leigh, for many years clerk of the city of Victoria.

Mr. F. C. Gamble, the Dominion government resident engineer, who was a passenger for the north on the last trip of the Louise, has gone up the Skeena on an inspection trip. He will have a look at the canyon near the Forks, which is the drawback to navigation.

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Tudor Cameron, the sad-eyed individual with a cake of soap who, with Johnny O'Connor, is creating a near riot on the Pantages bill this week, has his own idea of how he could break into the inner circles of the captains-of-industry club, if he only had a rich uncle or something like that to give him the proper look of substantiality to start him off. It's a simple idea too, that is it looks simple enough to Tudor, and he can't understand why some genius with backing hasn't discovered it before this. Here it is, though it is a big secret, and never a word must be breathed to anyone:

Tudor Cameron knows quite a lot about the show business from the back, for he has been doing laugh stuff for quite several years under the spot. He is a fairly good mathematician, too, and has made many mental calculations based on box office receipts for reasons any good actor will name first off. He has always been a big leaguer in the vaudeville world and that's one reason why this scheme of his might be worth looking into.

It all comes about as a result of both Cameron and O'Connor being daft about baseball. If they had not turned out to be actors it is pretty certain that they would have been in the big league long ago. It is said they know a lot about it as it is. That is how the big idea came to be born, for, to satisfy an appetite for good baseball at a dollar a seat is pretty certain to cause almost any actor worry, even though the books at the office show a very substantial salary opposite his name. Anyhow Tudor Cameron thought right away that it would be a fine idea to establish a string of 10, 20 and 30-cent ball parks in the large cities of the country, and form a popular-priced circuit. In other words, give the baseball fans good ball on the same basis as people get good vaudeville on the popular-priced circuit. If anyone has the money, Tudor Cameron will show them how it can be done.

There are a number of good things on the Pantages bill this week.

"Brides of the Desert," the headline attraction, is a classical dancing and pantomime gem featuring Princess Athena, the famous Oriental dancer, and Verna Mersereaux, the classical exponent of terpsichore, supported by a chorus of pretty misses who are all experts of the light fantastic. The story is in pantomime and deals with the eternal triangle which results in tragedy. The action is intense all through, relieved by the finished dancing that is offered.

Ad Blondell and company present a most amusing playlet entitled, "The Lost Boy," which is full of infectious humor.

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The baked ice cream was the choicest bit of Mrs. Brown-Lewers' cookery demonstration last night. The frozen cream was encased in a coating of meringue, placed in a hot oven and baked to a very beautiful brown. Mrs. Brown-Lewers had promised that the cream would not melt, and she made good on this almost unbelievable assertion.

Her cookery instruction goes straight to the hearts of the cooks who are attending her classes from day to day. It also made a good impression on the men who attended in large numbers last night, and both men and women of the city have only the highest praise for the Times' popular lecturer. There are many note books in evidence at every session, and much interest is manffested in the awarding of prizes at the close of the class each day. These prizes are some of the dainty and attractive dishes prepared by the cookery teacher, and they are given to the lucky members of the class holding plates numbered by the lecturer at random from a bowl on her table.

Perhaps the best lecture of Mrs. Brown-Lewers' entire course is that reserved for the closing session to-morrow afternoon. This talk on "Motherhood" is one which will appeal to every mother's heart in the city.

As announced by Mrs. Brown-Lewers, the recipes for Oriental curry and sauce hollandaise demonstrated by her to-day at the Daily Times Better Foods, Better Homes School in the Princess Theatre, are given below together with some other interesting recipes submitted by her:

Oriental Curry.

Four tablespoonfuls crisco, 1 onion, 1 carrot, 1 tomato, meat, chicken or mutton cut in inch cubes; flour, 1 tablespoonful curry powder, 1 cupful raisins or 1 large sour apple, stock of meat or chicken, ½ tablespoonful Worcestershire sauce, salt to taste, 4 tablespoonfuls vinegar or lemon juice, 1 cupful grated cocoanut.

Put crisco in frying pan, saute onion and carrot to golden brown. Put in pot or stone jar or thick cooking utensil with sliced tomato.

Dust meat with flour and curry powder, brown each side in crisco in which onion and carrot were browned. Add to pot. Add raisins to pot (tamarinds are better). Put stock into the saucepan, add Worcestershire sauce and salt. (Have enough stock to cover meat one inch). Thicken broth with sufficient flour to make a thin sauce. Pour over the contents of the pot and let simmer until tender. Put lemon juice over the cocoanut and let stand one or more hours. Serve cury in potato or rice crowns. Sprinkle with cocoanut.

Scalloped Potatoes.

Cut into thin slices several large raw potatoes. Put one slice of bacon in the bottom of a baking pan, then a layer of potatoes, dust with flour and salt, dot with crisco. Repeat, flouring each layer of potatoes. When pan is full pour over the top, milk until potatoes are covered. Lay last two pieces of bacon on and cover with criscoed crumbs. Bake until potatoes are tender.

Sauce Hollandaise.

Two tablespoonfuls lemon juice or vinegar, 2 egg yolks, 6 tablespoonfuls crisco, salt and pepper to taste, boiling water.

Put egg yolks and lemon juice into double boiler, add 2 tablespoonfuls of crisco. Stir constantly. Add second two tablespoonfuls of crisco as soon as first are melted, last two as soon as second are melted. Remove from heat and thin to suit with boiling water, added slowly while stirring constantly, add salt and paprika.

Plain Yellow Cake.

Half cupful crisco, 1½ cupfuls brown sugar, 2 eggs, 1 cupful milk, 3 cupfuls flour, 3 teaspoonfuls baking powder, 1 teaspoonful salt.

Separate the eggs. Cream crisco and sugar, add egg yolks, beat light. Add 1-3 cupful milk, beating again. Sift dry ingredients, add to first mixture, alternating with remainder of milk. Bake in layers in slow oven. Put together with lemon cream filling. Ice with orange icing.

Orange Icing.

One cupful finely powdered sugar, 2 tablespoonfuls orange juice, ¼ teaspoonful vanilla.

Place ingredients in double boiler or thin bowl over the tea kettle. Stir until a smooth paste. Keep hot until needed.

Better Foods, Better Homes Bibliography.

"Meatless Cookery," Lena Cooper.
"Household Management," Terril.
"The New Housekeeper," Fredricks.

A family of children were ending the usual Saturday night romps with singing. As bedtime drew nigh, their parent said: "Now, children, choose one hymn to finish up with, and then you must all say good-night. Let's have——" "'Ere again our Sabbath close," suggested a bright youngster. "Well, I think that would be more suitable for to-morrow evening," replied the parent. "Oh, but you always air our Sabbath clothes on Saturdays, mamma!"

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J. K. Merz, of Index, Wash., is at the Dominion hotel.

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A. S. Black, of Princeton, is staying at the Empress hotel.

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P. Heally and wife, Winnipeg, are guests at the Dominion.

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Miss M. L. Millard, of Boston, Mass., is at the Strathcona hotel.

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B. L. Mitchell, of Saskatoon, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

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T. H. Elliott, of Richmond, Va., is a guest at the Empress hotel.

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T. B. Barker and Mrs. Barker, of Seattle, are at the Dominion.

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Mrs. J. B. Ormsby, of Seattle, is a guest of the Dominion hotel.

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A. W. Lee is the latest Vancouver arrival at the Strathcona hotel.

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John W. Berry, of Langley Prairie, is registered at the Empress hotel.

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F. C. Chambers, of New Westminster, is at the Dominion hotel.

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Thomas Bickle, of Cumberland, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

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A. P. Glen and S. Thomas, of Extension, are staying at the Dominion.

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Miss Sommers, of West Philadelphia, is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Horsman, of Toronto, have arrived at the Empress hotel.

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Dr. R. H. Thomas, of Seattle, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

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Fred. H. Rowe, Mrs. Rowe and son, of Seattle, are at the Strathcona hotel.

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E. Beigol, of Edmonton, and Miss V. B. Smith of Battleford, are at Glenshiel Inn.

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Mr. and Mrs. John P. Allen, of New York, have arrived at the Empress hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Irwin have arrived at the Empress hotel from Bloomington, Ill.

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F. A. Morse and Mrs. Morse, of Tacoma, Wash., are guests at the Strathcona hotel.

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J. C. Murfin and Mrs. Murfin, of Pasadena, Cal., are staying at the Strathcona hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chambers, of San Francisco, are guests at the Empress hotel.

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Misses Sheila Marryat and Jean C. Reed, of Olive, Alta., are registered at the Dominion.

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J. T. Payne, Mrs. Payne and family, of Winnipeg, are recent arrivals at the Dominion.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bunning, of Moose Jaw, arrived by the Vancouver boat yesterday.

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Rev. J. E. Walker and Mrs. Walker, of Shamm Fu, China, are at the Strathcona hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mackay and Miss Mackay, of Vancouver, have arrived at the Empress hotel.

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E. Champagne and the Misses Champagne are registered at the Empress hotel from Montreal.

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R. Lees and Mrs. Lees, and B. M. Godsal, of Moose Jaw, are staying at the Strathcona hotel.

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G. W. Feeney, E. E. Portland, and T. H. Stoddart, of New Westminster, are at the Dominion.

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A. W. E. Fawkes, Mrs. Fawkes and family have arrived from Calgary and are registered at the Strathcona hotel.

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John Hooson, J. H. Collins, T. N. Payton, Walter Hawkins and T. P. Carman, of Vancouver, are at the Dominion.

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A Portland motor party arriving here to make a tour of the Island includes W. B. Fecheimer, J. F. Powers and Will W. Knight.

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Mrs. Jean De Forest, Decatur, Ill., and Mrs. Raymond Earles, of Hanford, Washington, have arrived at the Empress hotel.

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D. McLeod, Mrs. McLeod and family, Mrs. M. P. Reid and Miss Reid, of Slocan City, B. C., are registered at the Strathcona hotel.

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The marriage of Miss Etta Logan and Mr. Ernest A. Wright, of Nelson, took place on Wednesday evening at Revelstoke, B. C. Mr. and Mrs. Wright will take up their residence in Nelson.

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Guests at the Hotel Metropolis include the following: Pte. Watson, James Island; Pte. Hanson and E. Bray, Vernon, B. C.; Chas. A. Shaw and wife, Los Angeles, Cal.; W. G. Baird and G. H. Johnston and wife, Napa, Cal.; J. H. Wilson and wife, Seattle; Geo. McNeil; R. C. Crankenthorp, Geo. M. Madden, A. Thomas, W. Terry, Thos. Jackson, Wm. Middleton, Vancouver.

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Ladies' Knit Vests, sleeveless and short sleeves, neatly trimmed with lace, up from .....15¢

Lisle and Silk Vests, from .....50¢

Corded Velvets, a new shipment just to hand, 27 ins. wide. Colors, navy, brown, grey, saxe and green. At, per yard .....75¢

Repairs to Ross Bay Sea Wall

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned, up to 4 p. m. on Monday, August 14, 1916, for approximately six thousand five hundred (6,500) tons of Rubble Pitching, to be placed at the toe of Ross Bay Sea Wall. Specification can be secured from the City Engineer. Tenders must be addressed to the City Purchasing Agent, and marked on the outside of the envelope "Tenders for Ross Bay Sea Wall Repairs." The lowest or any other tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,
City Purchasing Agent.
Victoria, B. C., August 5, 1916.

LIQUOR LICENSE NOTICE.

Take notice that an application will be made to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria at their next sittings, to be held on Wednesday, the thirteenth day of September, 1916, for a transfer from the undersigned to George A. North, of the City of Victoria, of the hotel license granted in respect of the premises known as the Metropolis Hotel, situated on Lots 21 and 22, Block 3, Victoria City.

Dated at the City of Victoria, B. C., this 4th day of July, 1916.

CON. L. WHELAN.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that I intend to apply at the next regular sittings of the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria for a transfer of the hotel liquor license held by me in respect of the premises known as the St. Francis Hotel, Yates street, to Peter Steele.

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Fowl 25c
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WOULD DEVELOP CHIEF INDUSTRY

Board of Trade Considering Improvement of Agriculture on Vancouver Island

The Victoria board of trade has been devoting a good deal of time of late to the question of agricultural development. The committee on agriculture, with Dr. R. F. Tolmie as chairman, has been securing information and making suggestions, all with a view to securing the co-operation of the public in building up the agricultural industry in this province and particularly on Vancouver Island.

A report of one of the sub-committees has been prepared by Alfred Carmichael, a man who has taken a great interest in agricultural development. This report gives some of the reasons which the committee considers responsible for the lack of adequate production. They are as follows: (a) Insufficient area of cleared land; (b) land already cleared not fully productive; (c) farming methods not up to date; (d) apathy among farmers in taking advantage of existing aids (government or otherwise); (e) lack of co-operation among agriculturists in both production and marketing; (f) lack of co-operation with the producer of commission men, dealers, transportation companies and the consuming public; (g) high freights and inconvenient time schedules.

The sub-committee also makes some suggestions, and these are tabulated in brief so that they may be easily grasped. They are: (a) The teaching of elementary agriculture in public schools; (b) the appointment in each district of a capable farm advisor; (c) the providing of a high tax rate on non-productive agricultural soil; (d) the providing of agricultural credits on long terms and at a low rate of interest; (e) the establishment of co-operative organizations for production, purchase and disposition of products of the land.

The whole question will be discussed by the committee at greater length in the near future, and recommendations made to the board with the object of influencing the government to take action to remove the disabilities.

ASLEEP IN THE DEEP.

Britons, 'neath the North Sea deep,
Who are these that lie asleep?
These are they none can forget
Till the sun of Britain set.

Sing no dirge and toll no bell;
Ev'ry age their praise shall tell—
Tell how they for Britain died,
Filled with all a patriot's pride.

Of her shores they held the key,
Fought that Britain might be free,
Found beneath the North Sea wave
Both a requiem and a grave.

Drake nor Nelson's glorious age
Ever penned a prouder page.
Deeds like theirs shall still be told
When the seedling oak is old.

AN INDISPUTABLE RIGHT.

The right of Great Britain to prevent its own subjects from trading with its enemies is not disputed, and there is no interference in this recent order with the trade of German firms or anybody else in this country, unless it originates with British subjects in Great Britain who use this means of evading the prohibition. What is forbidden is not trade by, with or through the blacklisted concerns, except for persons domiciled in the United Kingdom. We can hardly claim the right to protect the liberties of British subjects in their own country or of persons domiciled in the United Kingdom, because their trade with the enemy of Great Britain is carried on surreptitiously through agencies domiciled here.—New York Journal of Commerce.

THE HEART OF ENGLAND.

No one who sees an English newspaper can fail to be impressed with the generous energy of the English people, even at this time of trial, for causes not their own. They have their share of suffering from the war to bear; wounded and crippled soldiers returning home, families in straits because the breadwinner is away, incomes reduced by heavy taxes. The demand on their resources and on their sympathies is very great. Yet they are working quite as zealously as Americans, who are at a safe distance from the conflict, for the victims of German ambition in other lands. They are raising funds and giving personal service for their allies almost as if they were at peace.—Philadelphia Ledger.

"Professor, I want to take up international law. What course of study would you recommend?" "Constant target practice."

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 10.—5 a. m.—The barometer is high over Northern B. C. and frosts are reported there, while in this vicinity and Kootenay warm weather prevails and moderate northerly winds continue on the Coast. Sharp frosts have occurred in Northern Alberta and showers or thunderstorms extend from Calgary to Winnipeg.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday.

Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warm.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warm.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.97; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 53; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 56; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Entrance—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 60; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, maximum yesterday, 84; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 34; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 50; wind, calm; weather, cloudy, foggy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 58; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 56; wind, 4 miles N. E.; weather, fair.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

Grand Forks—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 82; rain, .01.

Temperature.

	Max.	Min
Penticton	84	..
New Hazelton	76	..
Nelson	81	..
Cranbrook	71	..
Calgary	66	38
Edmonton	66	32
Qu'Appelle	68	44
Winnipeg	78	58
Toronto	82	..
Ottawa	68	..
Montreal	64	..
Halifax	72	..

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Wednesday:

Temperature.

Highest	64
Lowest	53
Average	58
Minimum on grass	48
Maximum in sun	119

Bright sunshine, 5 hours 35 minutes.
General state of weather, fair.

WEEKLY WEATHER REPORT.

Victoria Observatory,

From 2nd to 8th August, 1916.

Victoria—Total amount of bright sunshine, 70 hours and 18 minutes; rain, trace; highest temperature, 71 on 7th; lowest, 50 on 3rd, 4th and 5th.

Vancouver—Total amount of bright sunshine, 55 hours and 39 minutes; rain, .56 inch; highest temperature, 73 on 5th; lowest, 48 on 4th.

Nanaimo—Total amount of bright sunshine, 71 hours and 42 minutes; rain, .35 inch; highest temperature, 79 on 7th; lowest, 50 on 3rd.

Kamloops—Total amount of bright sunshine, 52 hours and 6 minutes; rain, .27 inch; highest temperature, 88 on 7th; lowest, 46 on 4th.

New Westminster—Rain, .69 inch; highest temperature, 77 on 7th; lowest, 47 on 4th.

Penticton—Rain, .08 inch; highest temperature, 84 on 5th; lowest, 37 on 5th.

Nelson—No rain; highest temperature, 85 on 2nd; lowest, 43 on 4th.

Grand Forks—Rain, .17 inch; highest temperature, 89 on 7th; lowest, 37 on 2nd.

Cranbrook—No rain; highest temperature, 85 on 7th; lowest, 34 on 4th.

Barkerville—Rain, .58 inch; highest temperature, 66 on 6th and 8th; lowest, 34 on 6th.

Prince George—Rain, .19 inch; highest temperature, 74 on 6th; lowest, 37 on 2nd.

New Hazelton—Rain, .30 inch; highest temperature, 75 on 6th and 8th; lowest, 43 on 6th.

Prince Rupert—Rain, .50 inch; highest temperature, 68 on 2nd; lowest, 48 on 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 6th.

Atlin—Rain, .34 inch; highest temperature, 66 on 2nd, 3rd and 6th; lowest, 38 on 3rd.

Dawson—Rain, .30 inch; highest temperature, 80 on 2nd and 3rd; lowest 34 on 8th.

THE TRUE ANALOGY TO IRELAND

There is all the difference in the world between constructive suggestion and mere opposition to an act which is already on the statute book. And we hope, too, that after Mr. Asquith's statement we shall hear no more of some equally mischievous attempts to confound a special emergency measure for Ireland with the normal development of self-government in the Dominions. If we must have the inevitable parallel, the true analogy with Ireland is not the Union of South Africa, but the Orange Free State or Natal.—London Times.

BLACK RUST CAUSES ADVANCE IN FLOUR

Prices on Winnipeg Market Have Gone Up $1.40 Per Barrel

The average Victoria citizen does not know much about black rust, but when it raises the price of flour $1.40 a barrel he knows too much about the pest. Last week the price of flour on the Winnipeg marked advanced 80c. per barrel, and yesterday it went up 60c.

Flour is advancing in price because wheat is advancing, and wheat is advancing because the crop in many of the northern States has been badly injured by black rust. The spring wheat is the worst affected. Last week it was found that rust was injuring the Manitoba crop, and this week it has spread to Saskatchewan. The injury in Canada is not as great as in the United States and authorities intimate that the injury to the Canadian crop will probably not be very serious.

In 1904 the rust was very bad, causing a loss of approximately 75,000,000 bushels. It was a late crop, just as this year, and the result was that the wheat market advanced 36c. per bushel. This year the market has already advanced 39c. over the lowest price last month. This excessive advance is probably caused by the nervous condition of the market consequent on the war. An advance ao 151¼ cents was recorded on the Winnipeg market yesterday.

Black rust is a name to conjure with in the wheat markets of the world. In certain years and in localities favorable to it, much damage often results. Hot, muggy weather delevops the spores and windy days carry and spread them. This year the pest appeared unusually early and the spring wheat has been two or three weeks late. It is difficult as yet to estimate the damage and it will probably be found that it has been exaggerated.

ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IN UNITED STATES

Prominent Chicago Lawyer Alludes to Some Effects of European War

Some interesting comments on current economic conditions in the United States as a result of the principal nations of the old hemisphere being engaged in conflict are made by the well known railway counsel and law professor, Blewett Lee, of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Lee arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday afternoon, and leave to-morrow morning for Yokohama on the Empress of Russia.

Mr. Lee, who is general solicitor for the I. C. railway now, having given up his professorships at the North Western university and the University of Chicago for railroad legal work, exclusively, says that his line, in common with many others, is suffering from the shortage of labor. For so many years the large employers of casual labor, whose demand changes with construction activity and the season, have always had a supply owing to new migration from the countries of southeastern and southern Europe, but that influx has now ceased for two years. Had there not been unusual activity in the way of munition plants, the ordinary surplus of labor would have returned to the middle west for railway and similar work. However, the foreigners of this class are all in steady work, thus creating an unprecedented demand for casual laborers.

"Migration after the war will probably quite change the condition of things which we have known hitherto and to a lesser extent you will experience the same in Canada," he said.

"What is our sentiment towards the allies in this war?" he observed. "Well it is overwhelmingly pro-ally. While it has enabled Americans to make tremendous fortunes, it is regrettable they should have been built up on the miseries of others. As to our preference in this war, would the millions invested in allied loans have taken place if we had any doubt of the ultimate end? A great loan is to be floated by Great Britain, and another of $50,000,000 by Russia to provide ways and means to pay for additional war purchases. The subscriptions have been very readily forthcoming for past loans, and will no doubt continue to be the case in future."

Mr. Lee expressed the opinion that there would be a closer relation between the United States and Canada after the war. He said it was a matter for profound regret that the natural avenue for trade had been stopped by the defeat of the Taft-Fielding reciprocity pact, but he thought a more reasonable view of their best interests would be taken by the Canadian people in the future. Meanwhile the American public were lending large sums for the development of this country, and with the large amount of money for investment, more would flow in the future.

War preparedness was an easy thing to talk about, but it was strange how quickly the sentiment of the American people had changed when the national guardsmen reached the Mexican border. With the prospect of relatives being killed, the whole desire of spread-eagle patriots passed, and now no one seemed to expect or want a conflict in Mexico.

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$14.75, sale $11.90
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$4.50, now	$3.75	$16.75, now	$13.75
$5.75, now	$4.90	$17.75, now	$14.75
$6.00, now	$5.00	$20.00, now	$15.75
$7.25, now	$6.25	$21.00, now	$17.50
$13.75, now	$11.75	$25.00, now	$21.00

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TENNIS MATCHES EVENLY CONTESTED

Results of Games Played Yesterday; Preparations for Final Day of Tourney

In glorious tennis weather a large number of matches in the Red Cross tournament were played off yesterday, and on the whole were evenly fought out. The score in games does not always indicate the closeness of the play, and this was the case in several instances, the matches going to deuce and advantages frequently before being decided. The two best games of the day were men's doubles between Jephson and Martin against Schwengers and Walton, and between Lindsay and Clute against Virtue and Archibald. In the first of these, Schwengers and Walton were 5 games to 1 and 40-love when Jephson and Martin pulled up and eventually won 7-5 in their first set, taking the second set 6-3.

Lindsay and Clute took three sets to dispose of Virtue and Archibald. This match produced the best tennis of the day and perhaps the best to date in the tournament, Virtue, despite his indisposition, putting up a most remarkably strong game at the net, while Archibald's service was hard to take. Lindsay and Clute both used the lob to some purpose, being very fast in coming into the net for the returns. Altogether it was a spectacular game and drew forth round after round of applause from the spectators.

In the men's singles, Hudson had all he could do to win from T. H. Leeming, the second set going 7-5.

In the mixed doubles, Mrs. Elgee and Phelan against Miss Porritt and Poisson gave a fine exhibition, the former winning in three sets and another three-set match was staged between Mrs. Leeming and Miss Leeming vs. Miss Bryant and Miss Ross, the latter pair winning. The feature of this match was the remarkable steadiness of the young player, Miss Leeming, who has held her own in this tournament against many of the older and more experienced playgrs.

Owing to the unfortunate accident to Mr. Sparks the game between Miss Neame and Mr. Sparks had to be defaulted, as Mr. Sparks will be unable to play either cricket or tennis for some weeks.

In the consolation singles Mr. Tuckwell succeeded in defeating Forbes after three sets, as did Mr. Gordon in his games with Mr. White.

The first of the veterans' singles matches was played between J. G. Brown and H. H. Jones, the former winning by 6-1, 6-2. This is a case where the score in games does not really show the closeness of the contest, and Mr. Brown had to extend himself to the utmost to win each game. If this match is any criterion of the other matches in this series there will be some interesting tennis Friday and Saturday. The complete scores are as follows: Ladies' singles—Miss Rickaby beat Miss Ross, 6-2, 6-4; Mrs. Clute beat Miss Bradford, 6-1, 6-1.

Men's singles—Fairbairn beat Wilson, 6-0, 6-0; Hudson beat Leeming, 6-1, 7-5.

Ladies' doubles—Miss Bryant and Miss Ross beat Mrs. Leeming and Miss Leeming, 7-5, 3-6, 6-4; Miss Garesche and Miss Dod beat Mrs. Littleboy and Mrs. Ismay, 6-1, 6-4.

Men's doubles—Jephson and Martin beat C. Schwengers and Walton, 7-5, 6-3; Lindsay and Clute beat Virtue and Archibald, 6-4, 5-7, 6-2.

Mixed doubles—Miss Rickaby and Lindsay beat Miss Macrae and Leeming, 6-0, 6-4; Miss Rickaby and Rev. Mr. Ryall beat Miss Appleby and Tuckwell, 6-1, 6-1; Miss Lawson and Humphries beat Miss Hudson and Heyland, 6-2, 6-3; Mrs. Elgee and Phelan beat Miss Forritt and Poisson, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2.

Consolation singles—Radcliffe beat Foreman by default; Porritt beat Hamilton; 6-3, 7-5; Jameson beat Dr. Gilbert by default; King beat Harvey, 6-0, 6-2; Tuckwell beat Forbes, 6-2, 5-7, 6-3; Gordon beat White, 2-6, 6-1, 6-0.

Veterans' singles (50 years and over)—J. G. Brown beat H. H. Jones, 6-1, 6-2.

A number of matches stated for to-day should produce some fine tennis, and these matches will be in all the events from the ladies' singles to the Veterans' singles. In the men's doubles Garrett and Brown play Lindsay and Clute in the semi-finals, Jephson and Martin having reached the finals by defeating C. Schwengers and Walton. Three splendid mixed doubles will be played by Mr. and Mrs. Clute against Miss Lawson and Humphries; Miss Idiens and Brown against Miss Leeming and Gordon, and Miss Rickaby and Lindsay against Mrs. Rickaby and Ryall.

In the men's singles three fine matches are expected between Martin and Fairbairn, and between Clute and Hudson, and Jephson and Archibald.

The ladies' singles between Miss Rickaby and Mrs. B. P. Schwengers will also provide first-class tennis. Indeed, from the undernoted schedule it will be seen that all the games will be well contested:

At 3.30—Mrs. and Mr. Clute play Miss Lawson and Humphreys; Mrs. Elgee and Miss Bradford play Miss Bryant and Miss Ross; Miss Rickaby and Miss Hudson play Miss Garesche and Miss Dod.

At 4.30—Martin plays Fairbairn; Mrs. Schwengers plays Miss Rickaby; Garrett and Brown play Lindsay and Clute; Case plays Coats (Veterans); Ashdown plays W. H. Bone (Veterans); Jameson plays Yorke (Consolation).

At 5.30—Jephson plays Archibald; Miss Idiens and Brown play Miss Leeming and Gordon; Miss Rickaby and Lindsay play Mrs. Rickaby and Rev. Mr. Ryall; Clute plays Hudson; George plays Richardson (veterans); Heyland plays Flett (consolation); McIndoe plays Neary (consolation); Radcliffe plays Poisson (consolation).

All of the semi-finals will be played off to-morrow, and it is expected that a large attendance of spectators will be present. The prizes for the tournament are now on view at Peden Brothers' store on Government street. By the kindness of the B. C. E. Railway Co. a handsome cup has been presented for the veterans' singles to be competed for annually and to be known as the Goward Cup. A. T. Goward, the manager of the company, is an ex-champion single player himself, and was one of the double champion players for several years. Mrs. Goward was lady champion longer than any other lady player in the province. With these facts in view, it is peculiarly appropriate that the name of Goward should be associated with tennis in this city and province and in no competition more than the Veterans, so that they will be encouraged to keep in the sport for years after many men are thinking of arm chairs.

Great preparations are under way by the committee for the finals on Saturday, as it is anticipated there will be a large crowd. In this connection it is hoped that every member of the club, every one who took part in the matches of the tournament will be present and bring their friends. Not only will they have the privilege and pleasure of witnessing as good tennis as can be seen in the northwestern part of this hemisphere, but will enjoy the hospitality and sociability of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club, which is proverbial at functions of this kind, and will aid the funds of the Red Cross Society as well. Tea will be served in the club's large marquee on the beautiful lawn adjoining the pavilion, under the direction of Mrs. Jennar, Mrs. Leeming and a corps of the lady members assisting. Miss Appleby and a number of young ladies will be in charge of the ice cream booth, and Miss Mona Rickaby will superintend the sale of home-made candy. The presentation of prizes will take place immediately at the conclusion of the matches, and Mrs. Garrett, the wife of the popular president of the club, has kindly consented to preside at the distribution. A very happy suggestion of one of the members of the committee was acted upon with astounding alacrity, with the result that an informal flannel tennis dance has been arranged to be given in the Empress ball room under the auspices of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club. Tickets can only be obtained from the members of the committee of the club. This dance is not confined to the members of the Lawn Tennis Club, and it is hoped that all those who took part in the tournament will further help the cause by patronizing the dance. Tickets are only 50 cents each person.

All parties holding admission tickets to the grounds must produce the tickets to the gatekeeper or entrance will be refused. This applies to members of the club and will be insisted upon. Visitors and members should guide themselves accordingly and save inconvenience.

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SPORTING NEWS

ROCHE WILL REFEREE WELSH-WHITE BATTLE

Famous New York Official Will Be Third Man in Ring on Labor Day

New York, Aug. 10.—Billy Roche, of New York, one of the best known referees in the east, will be the third man inside the ropes when Freddie Welsh defends the lightweight title against Charley White at Colorado Springs, Colo., on Labor Day. His selection was announced by Harry Pollok, following word of his acceptance by White.

White will engage in one more bout before meeting Welsh. He is matched with Benny Leonard before a local club. They are scheduled to box ten rounds. Welsh, according to Pollok, will do little boxing prior to defending his title.

Welsh and White have already battled three times since the Britisher won the championship from Willie Ritchie. Each bout was of ten rounds duration, with no official decision attached. The popular verdict favored Welsh once and White twice. In their bout at Milwaukee it was claimed that White had Welsh almost out, stunning him in the first round. In the other bouts honors were about even.

The coming contest will be the first one in which Welsh has defended his title in a twenty-round bout since he won the championship two years ago. He has engaged in numerous no-decision bouts of ten rounds and has won the majority.

MORTON'S PITCHING DAYS MAY BE OVER

Cleveland fans fear that the pitching days of Guy Morton, the twirling phenom of the Indians, are over. Morton strained a ligament in his salary wing late in the spring, after breezing along at a whirlwind clip. Since then every effort to put the arm back in shape has failed.

The loss of Morton probably kills Cleveland's pennant chances. He was their main dependence in the box. Up to the time he was rendered hors de baseball he had won eleven out of thirteen games for an average of .846, and had allowed an average of only six hits per game.

LACROSSE VETERAN

BOB SPRINGER

Former Vancouver star and later coach of the Victoria representative team, who will turn out for the big patriotic lacrosse game.

CANADIAN CHAMPION DEFEATS KOHLEMAINEN

Billy Weeks, Canadian middleweight champion, may invade the East within the next few months. Wm. Lenfesty, a well-known California sportsman, who put up a $250 purse when Weeks fought Fitzpatrick near Tacoma recently, has offered to back Weeks and will stand all expenses for an Eastern tour. Lenfesty is at present in Seattle, but will go to San Francisco and then depart for the East about Sept. 1. Weeks has about made up his mind to accept Lenfesty's offer and is now having a contract drafted.

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CARDINAL TWIRLER HAS BEEN UNLUCKY

Leon Ames Is Now Battle-Scared Veteran of the Diamond

Pursued throughout a large part of his baseball career by a jinx of the most malevolent species, Leon Ames has gamely stuck to his guns, and he is now entitled to rank among the battle-scarred veterans of the diamond. The Cardinal twirler, who has passed his thirty-fourth milestone, is a native of Ohio, and broke into the professional pastime at Zanesville in 1902. The next year he went to Ilion, in the New York State League, whence John McGraw rescued him in the middle of the 1903 season.

John T. Brush had then just taken charge of the New York club, and McGraw, the new pilot, was laboring mightily to transform the Giants from the league joke into a winning aggregation. Ames won two games before the season closed, and, although he developed rather slowly, by 1905 he was one of the mainstays of the McGraw twirling staff. He played a big part in grabbing the 1905 flag for the Giants by winning 22 games and losing only eight.

The slab staff of the Giants of that period consisted of Ames, Mathewson, Joe McGinnity, George Wiltse and the veteran Luther Taylor. Leon and Christy are the only 1916 survivors in the big leagues. "Iron Man" McGinnity is still burning 'em over in the Northwestern League, while Wiltse is managing the Albany club of the New York State League.

After his great showing in 1905 the jinx began to pursue Ames, and, although he continued to twirl great ball, the breakers were always against him. Ames has certainly lost more superbly pitched games than any other twirler. He didn't have the best control in the world, and that had something to do with his seeming ill-fortune, but not everything. When his control was perfect and he had everything on the old pill, the men back of him usually managed to pull off enough to lose the game. In 1909, on the opening day of the season, Ames held the Dodgers hitless and runless for nine innings, but lost the game in the thirteenth. The hoodoo was still working.

Ames remained with the Giants just ten years, and in the middle of 1913 was turned over to the Reds. Last year Miller Huggins got him. His 1915 record was eleven won to seven lost—magic figures which may indicate that at last the jinx has relinquished its favorite prey. Considering the club he is with, Ames has made a fairly good record this year.

THORPE'S old English GINGER BEER has a smack of its own.

SHOCKER RECALLED.

Urban Shocker, the sensational Toronto pitcher who leads the International League by a wide margin, has been recalled by Manager Donovan, of the New York Highlanders, and will join the latter team in Detroit at once. Shocker was playing with the Maple Leafs under an optional agreement.

Have you smoked "Noblemen" Cigars lately?

SPORTING NEWS (CONTINUED)

BURNS MAY REFEREE BIG VANCOUVER GAME

Former Heavyweight Champion Has Been Asked to Officiate in Lacrosse Match

Tommy Burns, former boss of the heavyweight division, may appear in the role of referee in Saturday's patriotic lacrosse match at Athletic park, Vancouver, between the Vancouver Veterans and the former Eastern stars. "Spike" Hennessey, generalissimo of all forces, waited on Burns Tuesday and the latter stated that he would be pleased to handle the whistle if he is in the city on Saturday.

Both teams are putting the finishing touches on their training. Owing to the absence from the city of several of the regulars the Vancouver Veterans will have to call into service several of the old V. A. C. stars, including "Fat" Painter, Bob Murray, Bill Davis, "Punch" Burns and Billy Peacock.

Johnny Howard will be on hand to defend the Easterners' net. Harry Griffith will also appear in the Easterners' lineup.

The proceeds from Saturday's game are to be divided between the Returned Soldiers' club and the Daughters of the Empire. Judging from the interest being taken in the approaching battle a big crowd will be on hand for the clash.

NATIONAL LEAGUE SUPPORTS UMPIRES

New York, Aug. 10. — National League club-owners who gathered here yesterday at a special conference which lasted for more than four hours went on record as strongly supporting the league's umpires. Stringent action was taken in defence of the arbiters and the support of rules governing the deportment of players while on the field.

At the conclusion of the session, President John K. Tener said that the case of Johnny Evers and Manager Stallings, of the Boston National League Club, was "an incident that is closed."

"In the furtherance of sportmanship, coaching by players from the bench must and will be restricted," said President Tener. "The players are not to be allowed to address remarks to or about umpires, opposing players or spectators."

LADYSMITH TRIP OFF.

The Bapcos will not make the trip to Ladysmith this week-end, the upislanders having requested a postponement of the game until Saturday, 19th. However, as this is the date that Friday Harbor plays here, the local team will be unable to make the trip. The Bapcos are working out every night for the game with the San Juan boys, and will be in shape to play the best game they have shown this season. It is rumored that the visitors will put a stronger team on the field than played in Friday Harbor.

MAJOR LEAGUES

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

At New York—Second game: St. Louis, 4; New York, 8. Batteries—Steele and Snyder; Perritt and Rariden, Kocher.

At Philadelphia—Second game: Cincinnati, 8; Philadelphia, 7. Batteries—Mitchell and Wingo; Bedient, Oeschger, McQuillen and Burns.

At Boston—Pittsburg-Boston two games postponed; wet grounds.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	60	36	.632
Boston	55	38	.591
Philadelphia	56	41	.577
New York	50	46	.521
Chicago	46	55	.455
St. Louis	46	59	.438
Pittsburg	41	53	.436
Cincinnati	40	67	.374

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

At St. Louis—Washington, 1; St. Louis, 4. Batteries—Johnson and Ainsmith; Hamilton, Davenport and Severeid.

At Chicago—Boston, 3; Chicago, 1. Batteries—Shore and Cady; Scott and Schalk.

At Cleveland—New York, 3; Cleveland, 5. Batteries—Shawkey and Nunamaker; Coveleskie, Klepfer and O'Neill.

At Detroit—Philadelphia, 7; Detroit, 1. Batteries—Bush and Haley; Dubuc, Cunningham, Mitchell and Baker, McKee.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	60	44	.577
Chicago	61	46	.570
Cleveland	59	45	.567
New York	55	49	.529
Detroit	57	51	.528
St. Louis	56	51	.523
Washington	51	53	.490
Philadelphia	20	80	.200

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

At Salt Lake—Oakland, 2; Salt Lake, 7.

At Los Angeles—Portland, 2; Vernon, 1.

At San Francisco—Los Angeles, 7; San Francisco, 3.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Los Angeles	68	49	.581
Vernon	68	55	.553
San Francisco	67	57	.540
Portland	52	54	.491
Salt Lake	56	49	.487
Oakland	47	81	.367

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

At Great Falls—	R.	H.	E.
Spokane	7	14	1
Great Falls	8	10	3

Batteries—Harstad and Sheely; Clark and Haworth.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Spokane	59	40	.596
Tacoma	51	48	.515
Butte	51	48	.515
Seattle	50	56	.472
Great Falls	42	50	.456
Vancouver	45	56	.446

TINKER MAY LOSE JOB WITH CHICAGO

A report has been circulated in New York which has its origin from what is considered a very reliable source, to the effect that President Charles Leeghman, of the Chicago National League Club, was disgusted with the poor showing of his team this year, and that he planned on ousting Joe Tinker as manager. Weeghman, it is said, blames Joe to a large extent for his failure of the Cubs this season, when it was expected by nearly every one in baseball circles that the Cubs would be contenders all the way.

MINERS WIN FREE HITTING CONTEST

At Butte yesterday the Miners defeated the Vancouver Beavers in a slugging match by 17 to 12, the winners registering 18 hits and the losers 20. The Beavers used Russell and Barham, while McGinnity and Meikle worked for the winners. The score:

Vancouver—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Murphy, s. s.	6	2	3	0	2	0
Hamilton, 3 b.	5	4	4	2	1	1
Calvo, l. f.	5	2	1	2	0	0
Brinker, c. f.	6	1	3	2	0	0
R. Brown, 2 b.	6	1	2	5	3	0
Cheek, c.	5	0	1	4	1	0
Follman, 1 b.	5	0	1	6	2	1
Callahan, p., r. f.	5	0	2	1	0	0
R. Brown, r. f.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Barham, p.	3	1	1	2	2	0
Russell, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	47	12	20	24	11	2

Butte—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Grover, 2 b.	6	3	4	3	4	1
Levin, 3 b.	3	3	2	1	2	0
Fitzsimmons, s. s.	5	2	3	0	1	1
Hillyard, l. f.	5	1	4	2	0	0
Tucker, r. f.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Kippert, c. f.	6	1	2	3	0	0
Hoffman, 1 b.	4	2	1	10	1	0
Jones, c.	3	2	0	6	0	0
Meikle, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
McGinnity, p.	5	2	2	1	0	0
Totals	41	17	18	27	8	2

Score by innings—

Vancouver	5	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	2	—12
Butte	5	0	1	0	0	2	3	6	*	—17

Summary: Two-base hits—Grover (2), Levin, Brinker, Hillyard, Hamilton, Hoffman. Three-base hits—Kippert, Calvo. Home run—Hillyard. Sacrifice hits—Levin, Murphy. Double play—Fitzsimmons to Grover to Hoffman. Passed balls—Cheek (2). Hit by pitched ball—Jones by Russell. Stolen bases—Levin, Jones, Grover. Bases on balls—Off Meikle, 1; off Barham, 3; off McGinnity, 3; off Russell, 3. Struck out—By McGinnity, 4; by Barham, 2; by Russell, 1. Hits—Off Meikle, 6 in 1-3 inning; off Callahan, 5 in 1-3 inning; off Barham, 10 in 6 2-3 innings; off Russell, 3 in 1 inning. Left on bases—Butte, 9; Vancouver, 12. Time—2.30. Umpire—Howell.

OUIMET BREAKS COURSE RECORD

Boston, Aug. 10.—Francis Ouimet gave an indication of what he might do were he permitted to play in tournament golf this year by breaking the course record at the Winchester County Club. The course has been altered, and is not yet in first-class condition.

Ouimet holed out on every green, and his card for two rounds showed 74 and 72. The previous record was 78, held by S. Trafford Hicks. Despite the roughness of the new greens, Ouimet went down in one putt twice. The tenth hole he made in three twice.

CALIFORNIANS STILL WINNING AT SEATTLE

Seattle, Aug. 10.—Two of the strong California quintette of tennis players were eliminated from the Washington State championship tournament yesterday when A. C. Karsky and Allyn Barber were defeated. Hugh Kelleher, of Seattle, won easily from Karsky, 6-1, 6-0; while John Strachan, another Californian, who won the Northwest title at Tacoma last week, eliminated Barber, 6-1, 6-1. Strachan will play Joe Tyler, the Northwest veteran, to-day.

The other Californians, Wm. Marcus and Clyde Curley, continued their winning streaks. Marcus defeated Crawford Anderson 6-3, 4-6, 6-1; and Curley won from Wm. McBurnie, another local player, 6-3, 6-3. Favorites also won in the doubles matches and the women's singles.

CHAMPION WOMAN SWIMMER TO TOUR

San Francisco, Aug. 10.—Miss Fanny Durack, of Sydney, Australia, champion amateur woman swimmer of the world, will make a tour of the United States. She will be accompanied by Miss Mina Wylie, also of Sydney, and herself a swimmer of the highest quality.

SUTHERLAND LOSES TO SEATTLE GIANTS

At Seattle yesterday the Giants defeated Tacoma, breaking the long winning streak of Sutherland, who was serving up the slants for the Tigers. The home team touched Sutherland up for 7 hits and 3 runs, while Wolfram held the Tigers runless, allowing but 3 hits. The score:

Seattle—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Shaw, r. f.	3	1	0	0	0	0
Healey, 3 b.	3	0	0	1	1	0
W. Cunningham, l.f.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Eldred, c. f.	3	2	1	2	0	0
McIver, 1 b.	4	0	2	15	0	1
Morse, 2 b.	4	0	2	2	4	0
Raymond, s. s.	3	0	0	2	4	0
T. Cunningham, c.	3	0	1	3	2	0
Wolfram, p.	3	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	29	4	7	27	14	1

Tacoma—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Wuffli, 3 b.	3	0	0	0	1	0
Leard, 2 b.	3	0	0	4	7	0
Bigbee, c. f.	4	0	0	3	0	0
Bohne, s. s.	4	0	1	2	2	0
Fries, l. f.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Thompson, 1 b.	3	0	0	11	1	1
Bankhead, r. f.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Baldwin, c.	2	0	1	2	1	0
Sutherland, p.	3	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	27	0	3	24	16	1

Score by innings—

Seattle	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	*	—4
Tacoma	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Summary: Two-base hits—W. Cunningham, McIvor, Baldwin. Three-base hits—Eldred, Bohne. Sacrifice hits—Healey, Baldwin. Stolen bases—Shaw, Eldred, Morse. Struck out—By Wolfram, 1; by Sutherland, 2. Bases on balls—Off Wolfram, 2; off Sutherland, 2. Wild pitches—Sutherland, 2. Hit by pitched ball—Wuffli, by Wolfram; Shaw, by Sutherland. Time of game—1.20. Umpire—Finneran.

LACROSSE PLAYERS ROUNDING INTO FORM

The feature of last night's work-out of the lacrosse players was the showing of "Tudie" Sargison, the former North Ward star. He is going just as strong to-day as when he quit the game about five years ago, and if the remainder of the veterans show up in as good shape as Sargison they will just about win the big patriotic game. There were about 15 men out last night and the liveliest practice of the season was indulged in, the players cutting loose and showing some real lacrosse.

The next practice will be held Sunday morning in the Royal Athletic park, when it is expected that the two teams will take a definite form.

BREEZY BITS

The Brooklyn Nationals have a new shortstop, but he will not be available until after the close of the Western league season in September. His name is Kelleher, and he is now playing with the Denver club. Kelleher is batting for .339.

Joe Tinker, manager of the Chicago Cubs, yesterday said he got the best of the deal when he swapped Frank Schulte and Bill Fischer to Pittsburg for Art Wilson, the former Pirate catcher. "Wilson is one of the best catchers in the major league," said Tinker, "and time will prove the assertion."

Charles Ebbets, owner of the Dodgers, has concluded that the club will win the National league pennant. He is making alterations here and there in his park, fitting it for the reception of world series guests.

By virtue of their defeat of the Chicago White Sox yesterday in the "Windy City," the Boston Red Sox take first place in the American league.

After losing 20 straight games, tying the American league record for successive defeats, the Athletics yesterday won from the Detroit Tigers, Joe Bush turning the trick for the Mack men.

The California Tennis stars competing in the Washington State tournament at Seattle are winning their games easily, and look as if they will take some of the state titles back to the south with them.

FINLAYSON ENLISTS.

George Finlayson, the old defence star of the Shamrock Lacrosse Club of Montreal, has enlisted with the Royal Canadian Artillery, being attached to C Battery, Kingston, Ont. Finlayson was a member of the Shamrocks when they won several championships in a row and was a visitor to the coast with the Irish twelve on two occasions.

TIGERS MAY GET BODIE.

San Francisco, Aug. 10.—Reports that the St. Louis Cardinals had made or would make a deal for Ping Bodie has brought out the information that the Detroit Tigers will have first claim on him if they choose to exercise it. Detroit has an option on any player of the San Francisco team, and it is expected that the American League Club will take either Bodie or Pitcher John Crouch.

TRAP SHOOTING.

A trap shoot will be held by the Victoria Gun Club at the club grounds, Colwood, on Sunday, and a hearty invitation is extended to all shot gun enthusiasts to participate. Shooting will commence at 11 a. m. and continue throughout the day. Shells can be procured on the grounds.

The "coalfield in Spitzbergen" may prove to be merely a cold field, like the gold mines which a company once tried to develop in that inhospitable region.

Have you smoked "Noblemen" Cigars lately?

These Removal Sale Prices Sustain the Shoe-Buyer's Interest

To handle the crowds who continue to attend this sale we have rearranged stock and enlarged our staff. These attractive prices will make Friday and Saturday big shopping days here.

Men's Oxfords $2.85

Calf leather, in tan and black, welted soles, popular recede toe last. All sizes 5 to 10.

Men's Boots $3.35.

All Lace Boots in tan calf, black calf and vici kid, narrow recede medium and round toe lasts, some with half double soles. All sizes in the lot.

Men's Boots at $3.90

Broken lines of Button and Laced Shoes, in tan and black calf, mostly $5.50 to $6.50 value. Sizes broken.

Men's "Banister" Boots, $6.75

Clearing every pair of these $8.50 to $10 lines at one price. Leathers, tan calf, kid, patent and black calf. Sizes broken.

Bath Scuffers, 35c

Made of white toweling, slip-on style. All sizes for men and women.

Heavy Tan Military Boot, $3.65

Quantity limited. Puttees at $2.50 and.....$2.75

Women's High Grade Low Shoes $2.65

Quality of material and workmanship is apparent in every shoe of this 300-pair lot. All American shoes, mostly with welted soles, Pump and Oxford styles, in patent, tan and gun metal calf, with a sprinkling of fancy effects. This lot contains some smart styles but the majority are on the more conservative and "useful" order. At this price they fill a distinct place in every woman's wardrobe. Broken lots. All sizes.

Smart Pumps at $3.40

Plain effects in patent, dull kid and bronze. Light sole, half-Louis heel. All sizes.

Cushion Sole Shoes, $3.35

Kid Blucher pattern, with welt or turned sole. These are moving rapidly. Get yours now.

Women's White Oxfords $1.35

Leather and rubber sole styles, nearly all sizes are here, but lots are broken.

Misses' Boots, $1.95

Mostly button, a few lace, styles, suitable for school wear. Leathers, gun metal, patent and kid. All sizes 11-2.

Boys' Sports Boots

Tan Lotus calf with asbestos tanned sole, seamless pattern. An ideal summer play shoe.

Sizes 11-13½ at.....$1.95
Sizes 1-2 at $2.25
Sizes 2½-5½ at $2.45

Barefoot Sandals

Infants' sizes 3-7½ at.....90¢
Childs' sizes 8-10½.....$1.00
Misses' sizes 11-2 .....$1.15

White Duck Beach Sandals, sizes 6-10, 65¢
(Also in brown duck)
Sizes 11-2 .....75¢

ALL NEXT WEEK

Commencing Aug. 14, Mr. Chas. Keenan the Toronto Foot Specialist, will be in this store. All who suffer from foot trouble are invited to arrange for a free consultation.

Women's Boots $3.65

Some fine values in this lot, button patterns, in patent, kid, genuine English Russia calf and brown calf suede. All sizes in the lot.

Men's Sandal, $2.80

A combination Street and Outing Shoe. Ideal for summer wear. Made of tan leather on broad toe last, with perforated vamp, on the Blucher pattern.

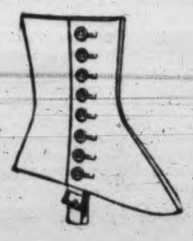
Children's Mary Jane Pumps

Patent leather, ankle strap pattern.

Infants' sizes 2-5, at . . . $1.00
Childs' sizes 5-7½ $1.15
Childs' sizes 8-10½ $1.40
Misses' sizes 11-2 .....$1.65

Tennis Shoes at Low Prices

Men's Redfox Boot $1.35
Men's Redfox Oxford $1.25
Men's Tennis Oxford $1.15
Women's Tennis Shoes.....$1.25
Women's Tennis Oxfords.....$1.15



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Women's Spats, black, six-button, with white piping. Per pair . . . 65¢

White felt, 9-button pattern, at $1.55

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SPOKANE STARS GO TO COAST LEAGUE

Spokane, Aug. 10.—Outfielder Kenneth Williams, of the Spokane Northwestern League team, has been sold to the Portland Pacific Coast League team and Pitcher "Rube" Evans has been sold to the Salt Lake team, according to an announcement here last night by Nick Williams, manager of the Spokane Indians.

Deals are pending, Williams announced, for the sale to Pacific Coast League clubs of First Baseman Earl Sheely, Pitcher "Dutch" Reuther, and Second Baseman Gard Gislason.

Kenneth Williams is to report to the Portland club at the beginning of the 1917 season, while Evans will go to Salt Lake at the end of September, termination of the Northwestern League season.

The terms of any of the deals are not known.

FRIENDLY CRICKET.

In a friendly cricket match at the Jubilee Hospital grounds an eleven captained by R. S. May defeated the Victoria C. C. by 147 to 82. The feature of the game was the batting of Askey, the Garrison player, who made 69.

CANADIAN CHAMPION MAY TRAVEL EAST

Boston, Mass., Aug. 10.—Abbie Wood, the Canadian long-distance champion, defeated Willie Kohlemainen, of Finland, in the professional five-mile international championship race at the Scottish games here yesterday. The winner's time was 25 minutes 32 seconds.

Victor McAuley, the former Canadian long-distance runner, now wearing the colors of the Dorchester Club, easily won the 10-mile road race. His time was 1 hour 25 minutes and 40 seconds.

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GOVERNOR WILL CALL HERE NEXT MONDAY

Fast Pacific Coast Steamships About to Resume Service to Victoria

Resuming in the San Francisco-Victoria service, the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's steamer Governor will leave San Francisco at noon on Saturday for Victoria direct. According to the local agents, R. P. Rithet & Co., the Governor will reach this port about 1 p.m. on Monday with passengers and freight.

The impending return of the Governor, together with the President, to this route will be welcomed by the traveling public and merchants generally. The Governor and President, which vessels have been operating here more or less regularly for several years past, were temporarily withdrawn from the service a few weeks ago, owing, as stated by the company, to conditions created by the longshoremen's strike, which for over three months has tied up shipping all along the American coast. Strong representations were made to the steamship company by various public bodies, urging that the two vessels be put back on the Victoria run. The company replied that the withdrawal was only a temporary arrangement and gave assurances that the service would be resumed just as soon as it was possible to spare the ships.

The Governor, President and Congress have been running direct from Seattle to San Francisco to accommodate the passenger business, and schedules have been maintained, whether full cargoes were loaded or not. The labor situation has greatly improved and the company now feel in a position to again include Victoria and Vancouver in the itinerary of the larger craft.

The steamship President will follow the Governor, sailing from San Francisco August 19 and arriving here August 21.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

San Francisco, Aug. 9.—Arrived: Strs Adeline Smith, from Coos Bay; Klamath, from Astoria; Los Angeles, from Antofagasta. Sailed: Strs Breakwater, for Portland; Mexican and Matsonia, for Honolulu; Washtenaw, for Astoria; W. S. Porter and Atlas, for Seattle; Whittier, Coos Bay.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 9.—Arrived: Strs Beaver, Nehalem, Celilia and Westerner, from San Francisco. Sailed: Str Daisy Matthews, for San Francisco.

Seattle, Aug. 9.—Sailed: Str Congress, San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego; str Tenryu Maru, Shanghai and Kobe; str Prince Rupert, Anyox, B. C.; U. S. lighthouse tender Heath, cruise; str Awa Maru, Kobe and way ports; str Thomas L. Wand, San Francisco; str Wasp, Tacoma; str Admiral Dewey, Tacoma. Arrived: Str City of Puebla, San Francisco, via Victoria, B. C.; str Prince Rupert, Skagway; str Northland, Alaska; str Richmond, San Francisco; barge Lawrence, Anchorage, Cook Inlet, in tow of tug Roscoe; str Admiral Watson, Tacoma.

Sydney, N. S. W., Aug. 7.—Sailed: Schr Watson A. West, for Puget Sound. Aug. 5.—Arrived: Str Floridian, from San Francisco. Sailed: Aug. 4.—Str Ventura, for San Francisco.

Kaanapali, Aug. 3.—Sailed: Schr Muriel, for Puget Sound.

Norfolk, Aug. 8.—Sailed: Str Buenaventura, for San Diego.

Cristobal, Aug. 7.—Sailed: Str Bloemfontaine, from San Francisco for New York.

Calcutta, Aug. 7.—Arrived: Str John D. Archbold, from San Francisco.

Nagasaki, Aug. 5.—Arrived: Str Delhi, from San Francisco.

Yokohama, Aug. 5.—Arrived: Str Inaba Maru, from Seattle.

Piscagua, Aug. 8.—Arrived: Str Luz Blanca, from San Francisco.

Manila, Aug. 8.—Sailed: Str Lewis Luckenbach, for San Francisco.

REPORTS AT MOLLENDO.

The American steamer Santa Cruz, Capt. Lobez, which discharged a cargo of nitrate here in June, is reported to have arrived at Mollendo on August 5. It is expected that she will return to Victoria with another nitrate shipment.

TANKER PASSES IN.

The tanker Frank L. Buck, laden with a cargo of fuel oil, passed up at 5 a.m. to-day bound from Port San Luis to Vancouver.

EMPRESS SAILING WITH RECORD LIST

Russia Departs at Daybreak To-morrow With 348 Saloon Passengers

Carrying the largest list of first-class passengers that ever crossed the Pacific in a single bottom, the C.P.O.S. liner Empress of Russia will get away from Victoria about daybreak to-morrow for ports in the Far East. The big three-stacker is posted to leave Vancouver at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and will reach the outer docks about 9 p.m., but owing to the late arrival of part of the overseas mail she will not be dispatched to sea until early Friday morning.

The Empress of Russia is taking out 348 saloon passengers and thus establishes a new record for trans-Pacific travel. Up to this time the passenger record was held by the sister liner, Empress of Asia, which on her last inward voyage carried 333 first-class travelers.

The Russia's list includes a number of prominent people from all over the continent, while others are through travelers from the United Kingdom and Europe. Marquis Inouye, ex Japanese ambassador to the Court of St. James, is returning to Japan; Antonio Veras Montt, secretary of the Chilean legation at Tokyo, is also bound for Japan; W. F. Carey and party, from St. Paul, Minnesota, will occupy three suites and a number of cabins, the party comprising fifteen persons. Among others sailing by the Empress are: Bishop Bashford, of San Francisco, of the Methodist Episcopal church; Judge A. C. Carson, of Manila; Judge W. A. Hawkins, of El Paso, Texas; and Mr. and Mrs. R. McGregor, of Victoria.

The liner is also taking out a good steerage list, which will include about 40 Chinese who will embark at this port.

WIRELESS REPORT

August 10, 8 a. m.

Point Grey—Clear; calm; 29.97; 60; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W., fresh; 29.97; 59; sea smooth.

Pachena—Overcast; calm; 29.90; 58; sea smooth.

Estevan—Clear; calm; 29.71; 55; sea smooth.

Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; 29.84; 56; sea smooth. Passed out, str Chelohsin, 10.30 p. m., southbound.

Triangle—Fog; N. W., fresh; 30.06; 55; sea moderate. Spoke str Jefferson, 7 p. m., Queen Charlotte Sound; northbound; spoke str Mariposa, 5.20 a. m., off Bella Bella, southbound.

Dead Tree Point—Clear; calm; 30.11; 63; sea smooth.

Ikeda Bay—Clear; N., fresh; 29.53; 52; heavy swell.

Prince Rupert—Fog; calm; 29.89; 49; sea smooth. Spoke str Spokane, 8 p. m., off East Point, northbound.

Noon.

Point Grey—Clear; N. W., light; 29.98; 66; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W., fresh; 29.95; 63; sea smooth. Spoke str Chelohsin abeam, 9.30 a.m., southbound; spoke str Princess Beatrice, 11 a.m., off Cape Mudge, northbound.

Pachena—Clear; calm; 29.96; 50; sea smooth.

Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; 29.82; 60; sea smooth.

Triangle—Fog; N. W., fresh; 30.13; 51; sea moderate.

Dead Tree Point—Clear; N. W.; 30.19; 50; sea smooth.

Ikeda Bay—Clear; N., fresh; 29.76; 58; sea rough.

Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; 30.01; 58; sea smooth.

ESTEVAN RETURNS

Lighthouse Tender Leaves Wednesday to Establish Aga Lights on West Coast

Terminating a two months' cruise, which took her as far north as Langara Island, Queen Charlotte Islands, the Dominion lighthouse tender Estevan, Capt. Barnes, returned to port at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Important work accomplished was the establishment of Aga lights at Danger Rocks, Low Island and Copper Island, Queen Charlottes, and at Surf Inlet, Campania Sound. Other work included the lifting of the beacon at Rose Spit and the overhauling of aids to navigation on both the north and southbound trips.

The Estevan is due to leave port next Wednesday for the west coast of Vancouver Island to establish Aga lights at Channel Rocks, Barkley Sound and Port San Juan.

GRACE HAS CHARTERED POWER SCHOONER RUBY

San Francisco, Aug. 10.—The American schooner Ruby, now loading in Seattle for the Far North, has been chartered by W. R. Grace & Co. for a lumber voyage from the Columbia River to Panama at $18 per thousand feet.

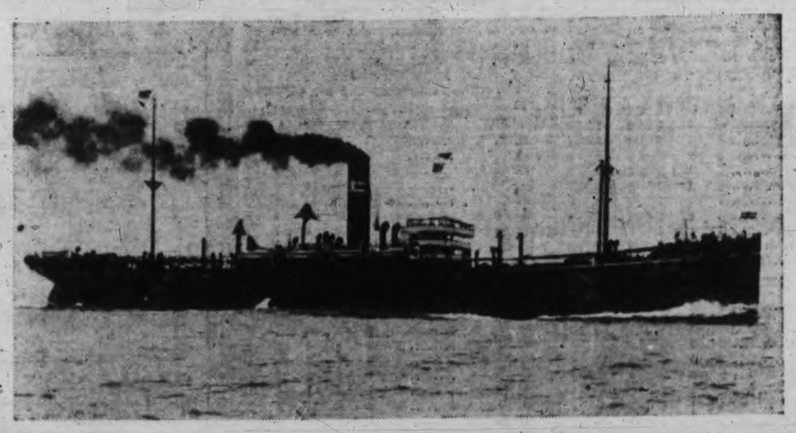
Comyn, Mackall & Co. yesterday chartered an unnamed schooner now building at Tacoma for a voyage in September or October with lumber from the North Pacific to Australia.

Subject to inspection upon arrival in port, the schooner Sophie Christensen, owned by Sudden & Christenson, has been sold to Balfour, Guthrie & Co. at private terms. The schooner is now at Antofagasta, Peru, discharging lumber.

COMING FOR BUNKERS.

The British steamer Egremont Castle is expected to arrive from New York about the middle of the month to replenish her bunkers at Union Bay. She is bound for Vladivostok.

IS RELEASED FROM QUARANTINE



O. S. K. LINER HAWAII MARU

Yokohama, Aug. 10.—The Hawaii Maru, which was placed in quarantine on August 3 on account of the discovery of 15 cases of cholera on board, sailed to-day for Tacoma. A new crew was signed and the vessel carried no passengers.

STEAMS FOR ORIENT UNDER NEW NAME

Harold Dollar, Formerly the Strathardle Puts to Sea for Vladivostok

On her first outward trip in the service of the Robert Dollar Steamship Company, the British steamer Harold Dollar, with a full cargo of war supplies for Russia, passed out to sea at 9.30 o'clock last night bound for Vladivostok. The steamer loaded part cargo at Vancouver and completed at Chemainus, touching at Victoria on her way out to put ashore the Nanaimo pilot.

The Harold Dollar was formerly the British steamer Strathardle, having been purchased by Capt. Robert Dollar a short time ago from Burrell & Sons, which concern operates the well-known Strath line of freight steamers. She recently arrived on the coast from New York via South Africa and the Orient, and on being delivered to her new owners she was rechristened Harold Dollar.

This vessel, together with other vessels of the Dollar fleet, is registered at Victoria. She is a vessel of 4,377 gross tons and was built in 1910 by A. M. McMillan & Son, at Glasgow. Her dimensions are: Length 376.5 feet, beam 52.2 feet, and depth 25.5 feet. As the Strathardle she was formerly operated from Vancouver and Victoria to Australia in the lumber trade, at that time being under the command of Capt. Lamont.

It is the intention of Capt. Dollar to operate the Harold Dollar regularly in the service between British Columbia ports and the Far East.

CHANGE IN GULF SERVICE

Princess Victoria Resumes and Charlotte Will Take Run to Seattle.

At 3 p. m. to-day the C. P. R. steamship Princess Victoria, after a temporary withdrawal, resumed her old schedule on the triangular route. In future she will leave here for Vancouver at 3 p. m. and return from Seattle at 1.15 p. m.

The steamship Princess Charlotte, which has just been withdrawn from the Alaska tourist trade and has been relieving the Victoria for the past two days, will leave Victoria at 4.30 p. m. for Seattle and will continue on that schedule.

PENRITH CASTLE NOT HURT BY STRANDING

Steamer Which Left Here June 30 Finally Arrives at Vladivostok

Apparently the stranding of the British steamer Penrith Castle near Muroran was not serious, for within seven days of the mishap the vessel reached Vladivostok, her port of destination.

It was on July 22 that the Penrith Castle, bound from Baltimore via the Panama Canal and Union Bay, B. C., to the Far East, was reported ashore near Muroran, the Japanese coaling port, and nothing further was heard of her until yesterday, when a brief dispatch came through stating that she had reached the Siberian terminal.

The prevailing belief in shipping circles is that the steamer, which went aground in a dense fog, touched lightly and was floated undamaged. The vessel is commanded by Capt. Foy, who is making his first voyage in her.

The Penrith Castle, which is a well-known British Columbia trader, left Baltimore May 31, and after passing through the Panama Canal came north to Union Bay to replenish her bunker supply, finally leaving Victoria June 30 for Vladivostok.

The steamer carried a full cargo of supplies from the Atlantic coast. She is a vessel of 3,663 net tons and is owned by J. Chambers & Co., Liverpool.

CHARTERED AT PORTLAND.

The British schooner Langdale, which was reported in a dispatch yesterday as wrecked at the entrance to St. Michaels harbor, in the Azores, and believed to be a total loss, was under charter to the Portland Flouring Mills and carried a flour cargo valued at $162,000. She left the Columbia River for the United Kingdom on February 17 and carried a crew of 28 men.

BUENAVENTURA SPOKEN.

The steamer Buenaventura, Capt. Fitzsimmons, which formerly plied here in the Maple Leaf Line service, left Norfolk on August 8 for San Diego, Cal.

HAS SULPHUR CARGO.

The Japanese steamer Mayachi Maru, one of the Mitsui company's freighters, is expected to reach Powell River to-morrow or Saturday with a cargo of 1,100 tons of sulphur.

STRIKE COMPLETELY DISRUPTS SAILINGS

Steamers of N. Y. K. Fleet Are Hopelessly Mixed Up Owing to Labor Conditions

The arrival of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Inaba Maru at Yokohama yesterday gives a striking instance of the disturbing influence the longshoremen's strike on this coast is creating in the shipping world, particularly with regard to the operation of vessels on the Pacific. The Inaba Maru reached Yokohama on August 9, 16 days behind schedule, when under ordinary circumstances she would have been two days out from Kobe on her return voyage to North Pacific ports. Owing to the delay of the Inaba Maru and other N.Y.K. steamers on Puget Sound the trans-Pacific sailing schedules of the Japanese line have been completely disrupted, and it is probable that some time will elapse before the tangle can be straightened out and the vessels are again running on time.

Not only the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, but all lines operating in the Puget Sound trade, are seriously handicapped by the labor conditions prevailing at Seattle and other American ports on the coast, and thousands of dollars are being lost by the steamship operators. It has even been stated by an official of the company that the N.Y.K. may consider the withdrawal of its steamers from the Puget Sound route should the present state of affairs continue.

At 8 o'clock last night the Japanese liner Awa Maru, of the N.Y.K. fleet, got away from the outer docks on her outward trip to Yokohama and Kobe. The strike is responsible for this vessel being two weeks behind schedule.

BOUND FOR NEW YORK.

Having taken aboard bunker coal at Union Bay, the British steamer Pacific, passed out to sea this morning. She is bound from Vladivostok to New York via the Panama canal.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Empress of Japan	Hopcraft	3,039	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Aug. 16
Shidzuoka Maru	Noma	4,072	G. N.	Hongkong	Aug. 17
Tamba Maru	Nagasue	6,134	G. Northern	Kobe	Aug. 20
Hawaii Maru	Saito	5,980	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Aug. 20
Niagara	Rolls	7,582	C. P. R.	Sydney	Aug. 24
Mexico Maru	Yamaguchi	3,760	G. Northern	Hongkong	Aug. 25
Empress of Asia	Davison	8,834	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Aug. 26
Inaba Maru	Higo	3,844	G. Northern	Kobe	Aug. 30
Chicago Maru	Hori	3,833	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Sept. 1
Kamakura Maru	Kusano	3,644	G. Northern	Hongkong	Sept. 6
Canada Maru	Surega	3,759	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Sept. 15

DEEP SEA DEPARTURES

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	For	Due
Empress of Russia	Robinson	8,789	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Aug. 10
Sado Maru	Asakawa	3,626	G. Northern	Hongkong	Aug. 12
Empress of Japan	Hopcraft	3,039	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Aug. 24
Niagara	Rolls	7,582	C. P. R.	Sydney	Aug. 30

COASTWISE SERVICES

For Vancouver

Steamer Princess Victoria leaves daily at 3 p. m. and steamer Princess Mary or Royal daily at 11.45 p. m.

G. T. P. steamer, Monday and Wednesday, 3.30 p. m.

From Vancouver

Steamer Princess Adelaide arrives daily at 2.30 p. m., and steamer Princess Mary or Royal at 6.30 a. m.

For San Francisco

Steamer Governor, Aug. 18; steamer President, Aug. 25.

From San Francisco

Steamer Governor, Aug. 12; steamer President, Aug. 19.

For Seattle

Steamer Princess Adelaide leaves daily at 4.30 p. m.

G. T. P. steamer, Sunday, Tuesday and Friday, midnight.

From Seattle

Steamer Princess Victoria arrives daily at 1 p. m.

For Port Angeles

Steamer Sol Duc leaves daily except Sunday at 11.30 a. m.

From Port Angeles

Steamer Sol Duc arrives daily except Sunday at 9 a. m.

For Prince Rupert

Steamer Prince Rupert or Prince George leaves Wednesdays at 3.30 p. m.

From Prince Rupert

Prince steamer arrives Sundays 10.30 p.m. Steamer Chelohsin arrives Fridays, 7 a.m.

For Comox

Steamer Charmer leaves every Tuesday a. m.

From Comox

Steamer Charmer arrives every Sunday.

For Skagway

Princess steamers leave Fridays.

Steamer Prince Rupert or Prince George leaves Mondays at 3.30 p. m.

From Skagway

Prince steamer arrives Tuesdays 10.30 p.m. Princess steamers arrive Mondays.

For Holberg

Steamer Tees leaves on seventh and twentieth of each month.

From Holberg

Steamer Tees arrives on fourteenth and twenty-seventh of each month.

For Clayoquot

Steamer Tees leaves on first and fifteenth of each month.

From Clayoquot

Steamer Tees arrives on fourth and eighteenth of each month.

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S. S. "New Amsterdam," 17,250 tons, from New York.....Aug. 24
S. S. "Saxonia," 14,300 tons, from New York, one-class cabin....Aug. 26
S. S. "St. Paul," 12,000 tons, from New York .....Aug. 26
S. S. "Missanabie," 12,600 tons, from Montreal, one-class cabin..Aug. 26

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Sister Mary Winifred Back From Alaska for Short Visit

For the first time in nearly a quarter of a century Sister Mary Winifred, who left Victoria twenty-four years ago for two of the remotest mission fields of the Catholic church in Alaska, has come out of the wilderness to civilization.

In 1892 Sister Mary Winifred and two other members of the Order of St. Ann, Sister Mary John and Sister Mary Antonio, were sent by the Mother House to the distant mission field. They left Victoria on May 13 of that year, in order to get the boat which would take them nearest their destination, having to go first to San Francisco. They sailed from the California port on the St. Paul on June 4, reaching Holy Cross on July 20, after more than six weeks at sea. In order to complete their journey they had to change boats at the mouth of the Yukon river and re-embarked on the river steamship Arctic, which concluded the voyage in a few days.

Such difficulties in the way of traveling are no mean test of character and endurance. But Sister Mary Winifred, instead of feeling refretful at the great distance growing between her and things familiar, rejoiced that the work which had been her lifelong ambition was coming within reach.

"Sometimes we go through obedience," she said yesterday when talking of the fascination which the Indian mission work had for her, "but in my case it was the fulfilment of all my hopes. And I am satisfied that a great work can be done in Christianizing those little Indian children after seeing what has been accomplished at the Mission at Holy Cross."

The Sister referred to the Holy Cross Mission because the school at this place is modelled along the lines that she deems most effective for the work. Here the girls live all the time under the direct supervision and care of the nuns. At Nulato, on the contrary, there are only day boarders, and the Sisters are conscious of the handicap under which they labor when the children are free at the end of the school day to go back to domestic surroundings which often undo much of their teaching.

The two missions are 214 miles apart, Holy Cross being just on the boundary line between the Esquimeaux and the Tenneh Indians, with a slight difference in the language from the tribes round Nulato. Yet slight as are these differences so much stronger is the influence of the Sisters in the Holy Cross Mission where the girls live in the school that the superintendent of education for the North Yukon once told Sister Mary Winifred that he could invariably tell a Holy Cross pupil from a Nulato. This was gratifying to the good Sister, as it endorsed her own opinion that the resident system was the more effective in its results.

Sister Superior.

Since 1909 Sister Mary Winifred has been Sister Superior at Nulato. Before that she was at Holy Cross for six years as Sister Superior. As a consequence a great deal of responsible work has devolved on her, and anyone who has seen something of the Far North can imagine the initiative and resourcefulness which must have been necessary to meet all the hardships which she has had to encounter in connection with her work. In the first years she admits there were many things for the lack of which they suffered severe inconvenience. But despite that there were never lonesome days. Hope and encouragement they might sometimes have liked, as the children were very rough and difficult to manage during that first year in the strange remote country. There were at the beginning over fifty girls. The Jesuit fathers looked after the schooling of the boys, who now attend the Sisters' classes until they are nine or ten years of age after which they are turned over to the priests.

To-day, the religieuse informed her interviewer, about half of the children at the Holy Cross Mission are children of those first pupils that she had when she entered the mission work 24 years ago. This is interesting, as it gives the Sisters an opportunity to follow up the results of their teaching through two generations. For influence is used to bring about marriages as much as possible between the Christianized girls of the girls' schools and the boys who have been brought up by the Jesuits, and the family life goes on as much as possible under better conditions. Many pictures which Sister Mary Winifred brings from her northern home show some of the new families, and there is traceable a very distinct influence toward neatness, cleanliness and other traits which the good nuns strive for in their pupils.

Opened Years Before.

Holy Cross Mission was a success from the beginning, Sister Mary Stephen being the first superior, with Sister Mary Pauline and Sister Mary Joseph assisting her. It was Sister Mary Stephen who opened the school at Nulato in 1889, three years before Sister Mary Winifred went north. But for a time it was unsuccessful, and was closed until the arrival of the latter.

"Up so far north the Indians see very little of civilization, but what they do see they try to copy," said the Sister. "When I first went to Nulato there was not a child that could be persuaded to comb her hair. Now they all dress neatly, respond readily to instruction, and are anxious to do what we point out to them. I give them little rewards every month, and am taking back a lot of ribbons and things when I go just for this purpose. It all helps."

"That is the secret of our vocation," she said smilingly when asked how she retained her good spirits and optimism. "Teaching the little ones to be neat and clean, to read and write, gives me the greatest pleasure. Here (meaning Victoria) the beautiful things please me, but I find myself wanting to be back again doing useful work."

It is because of this that she is leaving at the first opportunity for Alaska again, and will sail from Vancouver on August 19, "to stay forever if the Mother Superior will let me," she said. "If people are really interested in our work they could not show it better than by helping us to have a school at Nulato like we have at Holy Cross. That would be doing a lasting and beneficial work."

Intercourse with the outer world has never been easy, but latterly has been improved by the erection of a wireless station at Nulato. In winter they get mail twice a week, when the river is frozen. The early days were notable for their absence of news from outside, the boat bringing mail only once a year. The first winter mail that went out after she arrived they had to pay $1 to send a single letter. It is possible now to make the trip much more quickly than in the old days too, although it still takes over a fortnight to reach Victoria. Sister Mary Winifred, who is remarkably youthful, both in appearance and spirits, left Nulato on June 26, stopped over four days at Tannana, and reached Victoria on July 17. Coming "down" to Victoria she had to "go up" the Yukon river, and expects to make the return trip two or three days more quickly, sailing with the stream.

Whole books have been written about voyages and travels less dangerous and less purposeful than those which have been made by Sister Mary Winifred in the rough wilderness of Alaska during her 24 years as a pioneer missionary, but with the unassuming character of her order she shrinks from interviewers or publicity, and could only be drawn to talk of the work because of what it represents in the way of achievement for the church and the order to which she belongs.

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THE IRISH SETTLEMENT.

It is a safe prediction that all England will recognze the adjustment which has been made, and that in good truth Lloyd George will prove the savior of the country. The Irish solution is bold, almost to the point of fantasy. It seems strange, indeed, that the seventy-eight members of the new Irish parliament, the parliament of Dublin, are also to sit as members of the Imperial House of Commons at Westminster—which is very much as if the members of the legislatures of our states were to be ex-offico members of congress. But this arrangement is but provisory and is to await the eventful settlement of the relations of the two countries after the war. The one great and outstanding fact about the matter is that a compromise is reached; that out of the hurly-burly of war Ireland will emerge as an autonomous nation; and that the turmoil and menace of political crisis in England seems to have quieted down under the stilling voice of the one man capable of command.—Boston Transcript.

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FROM MR. PRICE

To the Editor:—In commenting on the vote taken on the Rainbow you refer to the fact that the act prevented a large number of men from voting and that considerable dissatisfaction prevailed through a most palpable error in not providing that any registered votes could exercise his franchise when the poll was opened.

In your account you make the following remarks: "It is stated that an attempt was made by W. H. Price on behalf of the Conservative organization to poll the other men, i.e., the sailors who had been on the Rainbow five years who were on the registered list but who had not been in the province six months before joining the ship; and was therefore precluded from voting.

I have become accustomed to inspired attacks made on me by the Times and I have only this to say that I made no attempt whatsoever to poll the men, as the act specifically stated that the voter must have been resident in the province six months before the voter joined the ship to entitle him to vote, and as the men had come direct from Halifax or the old land, they were only in the province the length of time necessary to travel from the borders of Alberta to Esquimalt, at the most three days, and therefore was eligible.

Whilst considerable surprise was expressed by all the gentlemen present when the poll was declared open that so many men could not vote, I am certan that not by the greatest stretch of imagination could the action of any one present be construed as trying to get behind the act.

The statement that I was acting for the Conservative organization is another error. I represented myself only. I was interested, as the occasion was historical. It was, as in many other great matters brought about by the war. But it left the opening for you to continue the attacks you have made against me for years, but which the public are now accepting at their face value, for the man with a jaundiced eye always see yellow.

W. H. PRICE.

August 8, 1916.

REPLY TO INQUISITOR.

To the Editor,—I have never availed myself of the use of your columns, but at this time I wish to refer to the article in Monday's paper signed "Inquisitor." He has asked John Day a pertinent question, which would leave one to believe that Mr. Day had charge of the financial affairs in the arrangement made regarding the transportation of the returned soldiers from the wharf to the hospital. In fairness to Mr. Day I wish to emphatically state that Mr. Day had nothing whatever to do with the arrangements made regarding this transportation. What arrangements that were made were made by the writer direct with the proper officials, and Mr. Day does not know to this day how much (if any) was paid for this transportation.

I do not wish to become involved in any controversy between different persons, but surely the "Inquisitor" will accept this explanation as a sufficient answer to his inquiry.

GEORGE I. WARREN,
Sec'y Victoria Jitney Association.

Aug. 8.

"PRO BONO PUBLICO."

To the Editor:—I would suggest that "Pro Bono Publico" should alter his "non de plume" and in place sign himself "Honi soit qui mal y pense." The remarks made by this "person" could only be made under a "non de plume." I can assure him, however, it does not ruffle the writer. Actions speak louder than words.

However, just to please my friend, I would like to mention that as the public were not sufficiently interested in my appeal, it was left to and only affected some five individuals, and who in their wish to help, restricted my hands regarding publicity. There is no reason for satisfying "Pro Bono Publico," but I will promise him one thing: he can see all he wishes, and if not satisfied with my actions he can say so through your columns on condition that he sends an apology if he is satisfied and "be the man" to sign his name.

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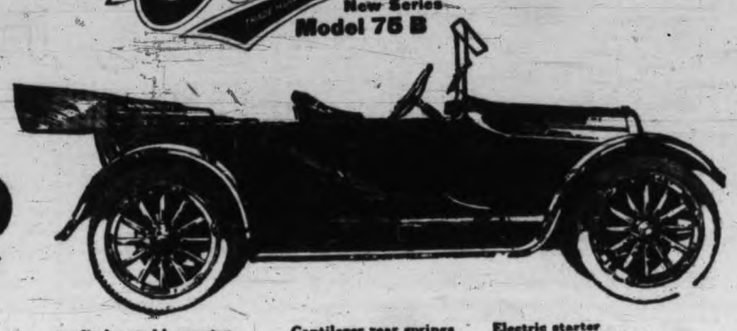

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S. O. E. B. S. JUVENILE YOUNG ENGLAND, meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays, A. O. F. Hall, 7 o'clock. Secretary, A. E. Brindley, 1617 Pembroke.

LOYAL ORANGE ASSOCIATION—L. O. L., 1610, meets in Orange Hall, Yates street, second and fourth Mondays, at 7.30 p. m. A. J. Warren, W. M., 949 Mears street. Eli Watterson, R. S., 1246 Merritt street.

DAUGHTERS AND MAIDS OF ENGLAND B. S.—Lodge Princess Alexandra, No. 18, meets third Thursday 8 p. m., Orange Hall, Yates street. L. Palmer, 1117 Esquimalt road, W. P.; A. Catterall, W. Secy., 1016 Linden avenue.

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SONS OF ENGLAND B. S.—Alexandra, 116, meets first and third Thursdays, A. O. F. Hall, Broad street. H. H. Pearce, president, 646 Langford street; Jas. P. Temple, 1053 Burdett avenue, secretary.

SONS OF ENGLAND B. S.—Pride of the Island Lodge, No. 131, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays in A. O. F. Hall, Broad St. W. A. Carpenter, Maywood P. O., president; secretary, A. E. Brindley, 1617 Pembroke St., city.

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DESK ROOM for rent, with phone and typewriter; per month, $7.50; with stenographer, $20. Apply 24 Winch Bldg., city. m13 tf

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WANTED—Room and board, with private family, close in, with garage preferred. Write, giving terms, X. Y. Z., Times. a11

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WANTED—To rent, seven-room house, vicinity Oak Bay car and golf links, family of two. Box 459, Times. a11

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APARTMENTS FOR RENT.

TO LET—Completely furnished front apartment, $15 per month; no children. 1176 Yates street. a22

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SECOND-HAND AUTO BARGAINS—One 1914 Overland, electric lights and starter, perfect order, $700; one 1912 5-passenger Overland, $325; one Stoddard Dayton, 5-passenger, $500; one Overland, 1913, 2-passenger, perfect condition, just re-painted, $550. Plimley's Garage, Johnson street. a15

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FOR SALE—A number of fine, large, pure bred cockerels and pullets; also laying hens. Phone 1116R. 843 Yates street. a11

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OSBORNE COURT, Phone 3273, 817 McClure street. Comfortably and newly furnished bedrooms, with or without private baths. Every room heated with hot water system and equipped with hot and cold running water. Terms reasonable. a18

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WANTED—Piano player and violinist, male or female. Olympus Cafe, Yates street. a11

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PASTEURIZED MILK—Insist on milk in sterilized bottles, Pasteurized or raw. City Dairy Co., corner Cook and View. Phone 1931. a25

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GATLIN HOME TREATMENT for drink habit can now be procured at reduced prices. Safe and effective treatment taken in privacy of your own home. E. A. Brown, manager. Phone 1168L.

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WE HAVE A WAITING LIST of skilled and unskilled laborers, clerks, bookkeepers, etc., both men and women, ready and anxious for employment. What do you need done? Municipal Free Labor Bureau.

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MUNICIPAL FREE LABOR BUREAU is prepared to fill any vacancy for male or female, in skilled or unskilled labor, at once. Phone or write.

WANTED—AUTOMOBILES.

WANTED—Good, reliable runabout; must be in first-class order. Phone 4496R. a10

WANTED—Two or five-passenger light car. Describe with price to 617 Rogers Bldg., Vancouver. a11

WANTED—PROPERTY.

WANTED—Prairie land. Chas. F. Eagles, 517 Sayward Block. a10

FOR SALE—LOTS.

160 FEET of waterfrontage, next to Esquimalt Post Office, $6,000. 1117 Princess avenue. a31

FOR SALE—HOUSES.

TWELVE-ROOM HOUSE, waterfrontage, on Victoria Arm, large grounds, good water, close to cars. This property must be seen to be appreciated. 1235 Sunnyside avenue, Victoria West. a11

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APARTMENT HOUSE for sale, in good order; owner leaving town. Apply Box 397, Times. s5

FOR SALE—ACREAGE.

FARM of about 30 acres, 15 acres in crop, balance pasture, near Duncan; good house, stable and barns, chicken houses, 3 wells, water tower and gasoline engine, cows, horses, several hundred chickens and full line of implements. This farm is one of the best on the Island and in perfect order. Price only $7,000, on terms. A. T. Abbey, 508 Union Bank. Phone 815. a11

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The Epic of a Nameless Poet Hero

From the London News and Leader.

Midnight was close at hand, and an end was in sight, though by no means come, to the long day of unremitting toil for the R. A. M. C. staff.

I was turning away from the talk with a walking case, writes a special correspondent who has been interviewing the wounded at Southampton; a young lieutenant, wounded in hand and arm, but in towering spirits. He had been sitting on the south side of a cot, and was off now to his train. In turning, my eye caught a slight movement in the end cot of that ward; almost the only cot I had not visited; though I had glanced more than once at its much-bandaged occupant. I could not ignore this gesture, and so, presently was introducing myself to Major——, second in command of a service battalion which made a fine name for itself before it had been three months in trenches.

"I heard you asking that lad what was the bravest act he saw in the break through the Boche second system. You didn't ask me."

"Because I saw all your head bandages, and I thought you'd be better without talking."

"No, my jaws are all right. Yes, a brave lad, that, I should say; the chap you were talking to. He is naturally a brave chap; comes natural to him Fine, that; and thank God, our new army's just full of it; full of it. The majority are very brave, I think; naturally brave; and, here and there, there's a chap not naturally brave; and —sometimes, you know, it may be he's the bravest of the whole lot. I sometimes think so.

The Nameless Hero.

"I just thought I'd like to tell you about a boy in my battalion. He was rather like that lad who's just gone, to look at; no older; . . . his name was—but you'll not mention that, of course, will you? You mustn't, on any account, mention his name.

"It was two nights before the first advance, when we were back at ——, in billets, that I first learned he was afraid, mortally afraid. No one else had ever guessed it, I'm certain; and I never should. But he told me; and there was no mistaking the fact that he was in agony over the telling. It wasn't strafing he feared. He wasn't afraid of Boches, or of being killed, but he was mortally terrified of being afraid, afraid of Fear; that was his trouble. You might think it a small matter, fancy, and so on. Well, I know what I'm talking about, because I had always kept an eye on the boy, and after this I kept two eyes on him, hard.

"You may have heard that our battalion rather distinguished itself. We were in the first advance, and others. Ten minutes before I was knocked out, young —— was killed by a bomb. He lived for about three minutes after he was hit, and he died in my arms. I was glad he died; and I think he tasted greater happiness in dying than he'd ever known in living; since the war began, anyhow. He'd lived, without being wounded, through nearly a fortnight of the most hellish fighting ever known.

He Was "Dancing Happy."

"The whole business was glorified football, to him; the breath of his nostrils. He was dancing happy from first to last; and now he's got a German lieutenant's helmet, taken in fair fighting, and there's no happier lad in England. And he deserves all he's got, and more. But with my lad, with young ——, I tell you that fortnight was not less than one long, intolerable crucifixion to him, because of the terror that went everywhere with him and never left him for a second, the ghastly fear of Fear, the dread that he was going to be afraid and disgrace himself, and the platoon that swore by him.

"Eh, but believe me, that was bravery, if you like. He was a poet, you know. No, I mean actually. He had published verse, and was to make his living writing. I had some little talk with him nearly every night, all through that terrific time. Nothing could reassure him, nothing could teach him; he could not learn to trust himself.

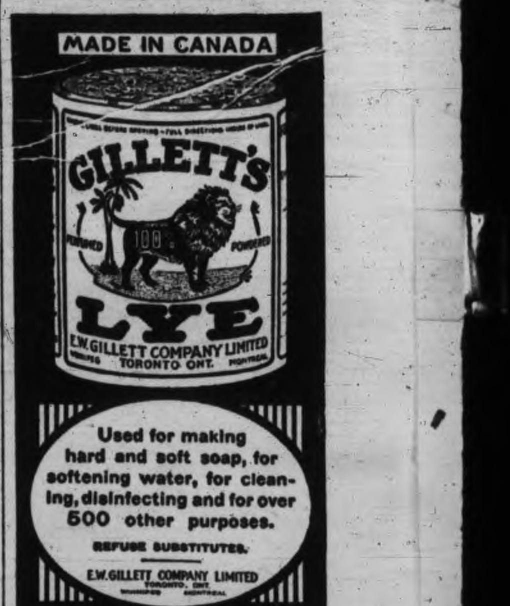
"Anyone else would have been killed fifty times over. He showed literally no regard whatever for his own safety. He gave himself no chance at all. He courted death, and death looked the other way every time. I don't mean in the least that he committed suicide. Not a bit. What I mean is that he showed more utter and self-forgetful, unconscious bravery than anyone I ever saw in my life.

A Knight of the Olden Time.

"At least a dozen times he must have deliberately stepped out into a hot fire to pick up and carry in one of his own wounded; and three times, to my knowledge, the wounded man was hit and killed in his arms, while he was untouched. Brave! He was a knight of old chivalry. More fearless acts no poet ever wrote about than he performed a dozen times a day during that fortnight.

"And all the time I knew, and nobody else but himself knew, that he went in mortal fear; afraid as most soldiers never have been—not of being killed, God knows, but of being afraid. He was smiling like—like a woman when he died. He said, 'They never guessed. I'm so thankful that I——' And then he was gone. But I knew well what he would have said."

Picardy claims all the ground that has been won back for France within the last fortnight. But Bapaume, towards which the British line is creeping and Martinpuich, which may fall any day, are both within the bounds of Artois. Indeed, it was at Bapaume that the province of Artois presented to a count of Flanders for a dowry with Judith, daughter of Charles the Bold. It came back into French hands in 1180, when Isabel of Hainaut weeded Philippe-Auguste at Bapaume.—London Chronicle.



THE EMPIRE AFTER THE WAR.

The war cannot leave the empire as it found it. What the prime minister called "the eager loyalty and unsparing devotion" of all its peoples is a political fact that must vitally affect our whole imperial structure. It has already affected it. While Mr. Asquith was speaking the Economic Conference of the allies was sitting in Paris; and among the ablest members of that conference are Mr. Hughes, representing Australia, and George Foster, representing Canada. That in itself marks a revolution in our imperial policy and methods. But when the war is over much more will be needed than the casual attendance of ministers of the self-governing dominions at cabinet councils or meetings of the committee of imperial defence. We shall have to refashion the entire fabric of the empire. We shall have to pass in "close and connected review" the relations between the motherland and all the dominions and crown colonies and dependencies. From that review Ireland and the Irish question cannot be excluded, the settlement that is sought at the moment being provisional merely.—London Daily Mail.

REAL SHORT CUT TO PEACE.

Prof. James Mavor, of the University of Toronto, sent the following letter to the New York Evening Post:

You have asked Lord Bryce to say what terms of peace would be accepted by Great Britain. I do not suppose that he would care to answer such a question. Nor is there any need for him to do so. It has already been answered repeatedly by Mr. Asquith.

I am not entitled to interpret his answer; but I may venture to do so in the following terms:

There are three methods, and in the nature of the case three only by which peace may be concluded:

(1) That the German emperor hand his sword to General Joffre.

(2) That he hand the same to the czar of Russia.

(3) That he hand the same to Sir Douglas Haig.

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A BLOOD-FOOD NOW MANUFACTURED THAT ACCOMPLISHES MARVELS.

Lots of people that were thin and miserable for years have recently been restored by this simple treatment. All you have to do is take two little chocolate-coated tablets with a sip of water at the close of each meal.

The tablets which, by the way, are called "Ferrozone," are in reality a perfect food for the blood. They contain exactly those elements your blood lacks when it becomes thin, weak, and unhealthy.

This is just the time to use Ferrozone; it excites splendid appetite, gives digestion splendid aid, supplies nourishment for all weak organs. At once you feel buoyant and strong. Nutritious blood courses through your veins, supplies strength, makes you tingle with animation and ambition.

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You feel like doing things because Ferrozone completely renews and strengthens your whole system.

No medicine on earth gives such quick, lasting benefits as Ferrozone. It has raised thousands from downright weakness, brings robust health simply because it contains the fortifying elements that run-down systems require.

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The West Kents, who fought so gloriously against terrific odds in the Trones wood, formerly rejoiced in the proud nickname of the "Dirty Half-Hundred," gained at Vimiera over a century ago, when the regiment—then known as the 50th—fought "until their faces were begrimed with powder as black as their own lapels." The county associations of the West Kents dates from the time of the American war when the colonel belonged to a well known Kentish family.—London Chronicle.

Answers to Times Want Ads.

The following replies are waiting to be called for:

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CHIMNEY SWEEP—C. White, Town or country, any distance. Phone 3003. a11

TO RENT—Furnished, 4-room cottage, near Willows and car line, $11; unfurnished, 5-room cottage, Lee avenue, near Fort street, $12. Currie & Power, 1214 Douglas street. Phone 1466. a11

RESIDENCE SNAP—Princess avenue, near park, 7-room, modern house, full lot; price $3,400, terms to arrange. Currie & Power, 1214 Douglas street. Phone 1466. a11

NEW SEWING MACHINE STORE, 718 Yates street, successors to White Sewing Machine Store. a12

TO LET—Three front, furnished, housekeeping rooms, close in. 2614 Blanshard street. a12

FINAL MILLINERY CLEARING—Hats selling at $1.00 each. Seabrook Young, 623 Johnson street. a10

FOR SALE—Baby's cot and mattress, good as new. 2408 Work street, mornings. a12

I HAVE $1,500 TO LEND on first mortgage at eight per cent. on improved residential property. C. B. Phelan, 304 Sayward Building. a12

WHITE SEWING MACHINES at our new address, 718 Yates. a12

TO RENT—Small, 3 roomed cottage, on waterfront, Shoal Bay, been used as tea rooms; suit soldier's wife or widow; $8 monthly. Chance to clear rent supplying teas. Phone 4141. a12

LOST—Piece of fancy work, on Chambers street. Finder kindly return to 1241 Broad street. Reward. a10

FOR SALE—Two-year-old cow, milking 2 gallons. Phone 2394L1. a14

LOST—Gordon setter, answers to name of Nigger, owner's name on collar, owner at front. Phone 2346R. Reward. a12

WE HAVE REMOVED from 711 to 718 Yates street. New Sewing Machine Store, successors to White Sewing Machine Store. a12

LOST—Airedale dog, on Sooke Lake road, name Royer. Finder notify J. Richmond, care of Peden Bros. a16

LADY will take charge of a furnished house during owner's absence, or can arrange terms. 1948 Bee street, Oak Bay, or Box 447, Times. a11

LOST—Between Fowl Bay, road and Monterey or on Hampshire, child's colored silk toque, present from child's father from front in Belgium. Kindly return 1133 Monterey. Phone 466R. Reward. a12

WANTED—Disc talking machine, Edison preferred, cabinet or otherwise. Box 475, Times. a12

WILL PARTY who picked films up in Bank of Montreal return to Clay's Tea Rooms and receive reward. a12

ESQUIMALT—Wanted, 5 or 6 roomed, modern bungalow, easy distance Yarrow's. Write 710 Front street, Victoria West. a12

FOR RENT—Clean, furnished kitchen, bedroom, sink, stove and gas, $12.50. Phone 4003L. a16

NEW and slightly used Singer machines, 718 Yates. a12

SEWING MACHINES—Special prices on Friday only on all latest machines. Be sure and call at Bargain House, 1600 Douglas street. a10

FAMILY TOURING CAR, in good order, with spare tires, tools, etc.; will sell for cash or give terms. For a trial run Phone 3036L. a10

NO NEED TO STAND on a corner waiting for a street car, jitney or bus. Ride a bicycle and be independent. See the fine values at Plimley's Cycle Store, 611 View street. a10

SEWING MACHINES—Be in time for Friday's specials. The Bargain House. a10

A CAREFUL TENANT, permanent if satisfied, wishes to rent from Sept. 1 a comfortable seven or eight roomed house, with modern appointments, in good condition and situated in desirable locality, within reasonable distance of High school. In reply please state exact location, lowest rent and where key may be had for inspection. Box 445, Times Office. a16

FOR SALE—Cheap, 3 roomed house on Blackwood street, bathroom, full basement; water and light; large lot, all fenced; easy terms. Apply Box 477, Times. a12

SEWING MACHINES, fumed oak dining sets, 300 yards stair carpet, china cabinets, all at special prices on Friday only. The Bargain House. a10

1231 MITCHELL ST., OAK BAY—Seven-room, modern house, full basement, furnace, garden in vegetables; rent $15. Phone 5477L.

DIED

DEWDNEY—On August 6, 1916, at the residence, 2840 Cadboro Bay road, Oak Bay, Hon. Edgar Dewdney, P. C., aged 81 years; born at Devonshire, Eng.

The funeral has been arranged to take place on Saturday, August 12, at 10 a. m., from the residence, and service will be conducted at 11 o'clock at Christ Church Cathedral. Interment in Ross Bay cemetery. No flowers, by special request of the deceased.

FRASER—On the 7th inst., at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Mrs. Mary Fraser, aged 41 years, born in Inverness, Scotland, a resident of this city for the past two months. The deceased leaves to mourn her loss, besides a son, a father, two brothers and one sister, Mrs. A. Chisholm, the latter residing at 1317 McNair street.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, the 12th inst., at 2 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Interment Ross Bay cemetery.

WAKEFIELD—On August 9, 1916, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Herbert Gerrard Wakefield, priest, aged 65 years, late of Virginia City, Montana.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, August 12, from Christ Church Cathedral. Services: Holy communion, 7.30 a. m.; burial office, 10 a. m. Interment Ross Bay cemetery.

LOCAL NEWS

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$1,500 in Prizes, Merchants' Basket Picnic. Sports at Deep Bay, Saturday Aug. 19. Phone 2852 or 3769 for information.

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Hudson's Bay "Imperial" Lager Beer, quarts, 3 for 50c.

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Speaking To-night.—D. A. Budge, of the Dominion Y. M. C. A., and A. P. Ledingham will speak to-night at the First Presbyterian church. The subject will be "The Grace of Giving." There will be an informal conference. Rev. J. G. Inkster will be in the chair.

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Gorge Park Smart Set. Amateur night to-night.

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St. Clare's Feast.—The Feast of St. Clare on August 12, will be celebrated with due solemnity by the Poor Clare nuns, St. Clare's Monastery, the Willows. High mass will be celebrated at 9 a. m. Benediction at 4 p. m. Friends and benefactors of the Poor Clares, also the Tertiary members are cordially invited.

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Open-Air Dancing, afternoon and evening, at Merchants' Basket Picnic, Deep Bay, Saturday, August 19.

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Is Acquited.—After a lengthy hearing in the city police court to-day, Roy McGregor, accused of an assault on a Chinese girl, in company with two men not in custody, was discharged. The incident is alleged to have taken place at Central park one night last week. On account of an interpreter being necessary, the proceedings occupied a considerable time.

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Langford Red Cross.—There will be a garden fete in the grounds of Mrs. H. Greenwood to-morrow commencing at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Ice cream, candy, tea, cake, etc., will be obtainable. The grounds will be illuminated in the evening when a dance will be held, music provided by Mrs. Phipps of Oak Bay. A large attendance is earnestly requested.

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Meeting To-morrow.—There will be a meeting of the leaders, managers and men's missionary committee at the First Presbyterian church on Friday night at 8 o'clock to make a final report on the canvass that has been made of the congregation on the budget and revenue. The interim reports have been highly satisfactory, even in these times.

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Chinese Caught With Sacks.—Alleging that the sackfuls of goods being brought into the city from Langford were stolen property, Provincial Constable Tait arrested a Chinaman yesterday, who is being brought up before the magistrate this afternoon. The man, Sing, had six sacks in his possession at the time of apprehension. The provincial police have received reports of robberies of houses in that district.

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Grand Tombola Drawing at Merchants' Basket Picnic, Deep Bay, Saturday, August 19. Every purchaser of adult railway ticket entitles holder to drawing of fifty prizes. See announcements later.

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St. Barnabas Outing.—The annual Sunday school and parish outing of St. Barnabas church will take place on Saturday afternoon next at Cordova Bay, and will take the form of a basket picnic. There will be a short service in the church at 1 p. m., and at 1.30 the motor cars, motor-bus, and tally-ho will leave for the Bay. The afternoon will be spent with games and sports, and there will be a small charge to cover transportation. Tickets may be secured from the rectory or from T. S. Mills, 640 Fort street.

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Saanich Red Cross.—The Red Cross Society of Saanichton are holding a garden fete on Saturday afternoon at the agricultural grounds, Saanichton. There will be sports held during the afternoon arranged by the soldiers. Supper will be served from 5 to 7 o'clock. A dance for which 25 cents will be charged will be held in the evening, the music to be provided by the orchestra of the B. C. Bantams. The B. C. Interurban has kindly granted special rates from Victoria to Saanichton of 50 cents return.

INQUEST ADJOURNED

Witnesses Testify Regarding Finding of Body of M. Davis in Chicago Hotel.

Because of the continued illness of Mrs. Marie Davis, whose husband, M. Davis, of this city, was found dead in a Chicago hotel yesterday, the inquest into his death was postponed to-day for a week after several witnesses had testified concerning the finding of his body in his apartments. Mrs. Davis told the police yesterday that she and her husband had taken poison by mistake for salts. John Russell, a detective from the South Clark street station, testified at the inquest that his investigations so far led him to believe that Davis was temporarily embarrassed in finances. Dr. P. B. Welch, the hotel physician, testified that he did not believe the Davises had entered a suicide pact.

M. Davis, son of the dead man, is on his way to Chicago, according to the police.

GERMAN CLAIM.

Berlin, Aug. 10.—Attacks by both British and French troops on the German lines in the Somme region yesterday and last night were repulsed, according to an official statement issued to-day.

DR. PLASKETT ON MODERN ASTRONOMY

Interesting Talk at Rotary Club Luncheon; Eastern Visitor Also Heard

Modern astronomy does not concern itself with the practical things of life, according to Dr. J. S. Plaskett, Dominion government astronomer. Its work is to increase the sum of human knowledge and the work it does is directed toward that end. At the same time astronomy has proved very useful in the past, and may very likely have a great influence on the future.

Dr. Plaskett was this afternoon the guest of honor at the regular weekly lunch of the Rotary Club at the Empress hotel, where Vice-president Thomas Walker presided. Besides Dr. Plaskett another guest was J. R. Shaw, of the Canadian Furniture Co., of Woodstock, Ontario.

Dr. Plaskett first dealt with the relation of astronomy to business. He showed that the science had been of great practical service in connection with the measuring of time, which was taken by watching the transit of the sun and certain stars. So accurate were these measurements that the time could be determined to the one-hundredth part of a second.

In navigation the positions at sea were determined from the sun and stars with the aid of a sextant. In surveying, the latitude and longitude were found by astronomy, and the failure to do this accurately accounted for much of the poor work that was so often found, and a practical demonstration of which they had experienced at the observatory site. Predictions of the phases of the moon, and of eclipses were also determined by astronomical processes.

Modern astronomical work, however, had little bearing on the practical. Astronomical students did not trouble themselves with such matters. At Mount Wilson they were studying the sun which was the source of all life, heat and energy. It might well be possible that a new source of energy would be found which would supercede all those at present utilized, but this so far was only a dream.

No solar research would be conducted at the new station at Saanich. The chief work in which the station would be engaged would be in determining the relation between the sun and the stars. There were other considerations besides utility and the work done was often of a most arduous nature. It was ideal in character and sought to unravel things which would increase our knowledge and develop the highest aspirations of the human mind. If it were true, as had been stated, that the standing of a country was indicated by the amount of money spent on astronomical work, this country stood high, for a good deal was being expended.

All the research, continued the astronomer, was primarily to determine the shape and constituents of the sidereal universe. Distance was measured astronomically by light years, one light year being the distance a ray of light could travel in a year, or six millions of millions of miles. The astronomical universe was cylindrical in shape and its diameter was about 16,000 light years. There were probably other universes, for the human mind could not conceive of space without end. There were two drifts of stars moving in opposite directions. All bodies so far as they knew were similarly constituted, and they could determine this very accurately.

The development of heavenly bodies proceeded in an orderly manner. At first they were light gases which became hotter by condensation. Eventually they attained a heat ten times hotter than anything on this earth. In from twenty to one hundred millions of years the sun would become so hot that no life could exist here.

The work of the new observatory would not consist of the discovery of new stars, although it was possible that new heavenly bodies might be discovered incidentally. They proceeded in an orderly manner with a definite object in view, the increasing of the knowledge of the universe in which this world is but an infinite speck.

Industries in West.

Mr. Shaw talked of the possibility of establishing industries in the west. He advised caution, as failure to do this often resulted disastrously. It was necessary to be near the source of raw material and also close to the place where auxiliary industries were established. In furniture manufacturing they found it desirable to be near the factories where fittings were made. The best money was not made from staple articles, but from specialties. There must be a large output in order to keep the price low.

In the maritime provinces they had made a great success of the iron and steel industries. On the other hand, the smaller industries established there had almost invariably failed. The country out here was an immense one and undoubtedly there was a great future of development before it.

A vote of thanks to the guests of the day was carried by acclamation.

FRENCH CRUISER SEEN FROM GALVESTON TO-DAY

Galveston, Tex., Aug. 10.—A four-funnelled warship believed to be of French nationality approached this port about 10 o'clock this forenoon. A pilot boat put out to meet her, but on arriving within about 200 yards of the warship the pilot boat turned and started back to the harbor. This is understood to mean that the warship did not desire to come into port.

Have you smoked "Noblemen" Cigars lately?

RUSSIAN BROTHERS TO PLAY AUGUST 30

Leo, Jan and Mischel Cherniavsky Ready With Splendid Farewell Programme

The celebrated Russian brothers, Leo, Jan and Mischel Cherniavsky, violinist, pianist and 'cellist, will give their farewell recital on August 30 at the Empress. The Montreal Star, October 27, 1915, says: "The Cherniavskys, Leo, Jan and Mischel (violinist, pianist and 'cellist), started on their Canadian tour last night in Windsor hall, with a comet-like blaze and independence. Whatever they are not, the Cherniavskys are themselves, emotional, virile, impetuous, young enthusiasts, possessing great talent, the wonder was that the three could so apparently disregard each other, yet play so sympathetically into each other's hands. In regard to this union of personalities without sacrifice of individuality, the Cherniavskys are unique. They were happiest in ensemble numbers.

"Singly these musicians made a succession of hits. Mischel is fortunate in having a gloriously toned 'cello, and his ability to bring out of it a wealth of sound that impresses an audience profoundly. Jan, the pianist, played the Liszt 'Rigoletto' fantasie most brilliantly and with active intelligence, and the Chopin Knocturne in D flat in a genuinely romantic spirit which held no suggestion of mawkish sentiment. Leo, override nonchalantly all the technical obstacles in the Tschaikowsky concerto for violin, and like his brothers, was called on for two encores.

"A fourth brother appearing as Alex. Cxerny (the name is appropriate) accompanied the stringed solos, and proving one of the most self-effacing helpful accompanists heard here in many moons.

"The engagement was such a success the manager has booked the Cherniavskys for a second concert."

MILLIONAIRE SEEKS TO AID COUNTRYMEN

Wealthy Filipino Shipping Man Seeks to Uplift Natives of Philippines

On the Empress of Russia, on her departure to-morrow, will go a very remarkable man, Theodore I. Yangco, a prominent shipping man of Manila, president of the Chamber of Commerce and Y.M.C.A. in that city. He is accompanied by his secretary, Pablo Rivera.

Mr. Yangco inherited a fortune from his father, but unlike most men who inherit money, he is spending it to the moral and social uplifting of his fellow countrymen, instead of on selfish pursuits. He has been a philanthropist in many respects. He was the first to suggest that the native women should be given training as nurses, and he has already spent hundreds of thousands of dollars to this end, with the result that at present the hospitals at Manila are well equipped and as capably managed as anywhere on the face of the civilized globe.

"I do not know," he said in an interview, "what line I shall adopt to spend my money. When I return home I shall go through all the material I have collected and out of all that I shall select what I think are the best methods to put into operation in the Philippines. We have a population of about nine millions and I intend that everyone shall benefit if it is in my power to benefit them. I know what hard work is, in fact, when I was a boy I was treated by my father just in the same way as the menials were so that I could understand their position and learn to know them better when it came to the time that I would have to handle my father's wealth."

Mr. Yangco says he looks back on that part of his life as the best he ever spent, for that work enabled him to acquire ideas that otherwise he would not have had. To-day he says he knows more about the wants of the Filipinos than any man alive, and he means to use that knowledge to advantage. With the exception of about 200,000 Moros the Filipinos are Christianized.

"You know that this process of Christianizing has been going on for the past three hundred and fifty years. The Spaniards started it; they came there with religion and with the sword, but principally with the sword, and when they had difficulty in driving religion home to the minds of the people they used the sword with good effect. The result is that the Filipinos have adopted the Christian religion with the exception I have mentioned.

"My idea is to make use of this money in the way that I think will help to modernize my people. We want to advance, we do not wish to remain in the same rut as others in the East, and I have the means at my disposal to change conditions more in the direction of the Occidental style. That is my ambition, and already a good deal has been accomplished towards that end.

"I want to see fine hospitals there. I want to see more branches of the Y.M.C.A., more churches, and in fact everything that will help my people. I am going to introduce the latest laws of sanitation."

KUROPATKIN'S NEW POST.

London, Aug. 10.—General Kuropatkin has been appointed governor of Turkestan, according to a Central News dispatch from Petrograd received here to-day.

RED CROSS CONCERT BEING GIVEN TO-NIGHT

Arion Club to Give Programme at Parliament Buildings

To-night at the Parliament building grounds the Arion Club will give an open-air concert in aid of the Red Cross, under whose auspices the entertainment is being given. It will be recalled that the Victoria and District Branch of the Red Cross decided, in order not to interfere with the success of the Italian Red Cross "Tag Day," to postpone their commemoration exercises in connection with the second anniversary of the war until to-night. It is hoped, therefore, that people will not lessen their patronage and support of the work on this account, but rather that the collection (which is to be taken up during the evening by a number of ladies) will be the better.

The band of the 5th Regiment, C. G. A., will play from 7.45 to 8.30 o'clock, and the Arion Club, which will commence at the latter hour, will be assisted by Mrs. Macdonald Fahey as a soloist. Rev. Father Anslem Wood will speak briefly at the opening of the performance. The programme follows:

"O Canada," arranged by E. H. Russell
"Artillerist's Oath" ———— Adam
"Soldier's Love" ..... Kicken
"On the Sea" ..... Dudley Buck
"Men of the Northern Zone" .....
..... W. J. Dowler
(Dedicated to Lieut. Jack Dowler, of the 11th C.M.R.)
Mrs. Macdonald Fahey and Chorus.
"Men of Harlech," arranged by Brewer
Intermission.
"The Two Grenadiers" .. Schumann
Arranged by Robinson.
"King Wittaf's Drinking Horn" .. Hatton
"The Bantams," adapted from the "Elfman" ..... Gibson
Vocal Solo—"The Star" ..... Rogers
"Heigh Ho, the Sunshine!" .... Phillips
Mrs. Macdonald Fahey.
"Altar of Truth" ..... Mohr
"Soldier's Chorus," from "Faust" .....
..... Gounod
"Rule Britannia" .....
Mrs. Macdonald Fahey and Chorus.
God Save the King!

The following song, composed by W. J. Dowler, will be sung by the Arion Club during the evening:

"THE MEN OF THE NORTHERN ZONE."

There's a land where the Sons of Empire dwell
And its treasures unnumbered are,
And it stretches away from the sunny south
To the lights of the polar star;
But its joy is the strength of its stalwart men
And their courage and hope sublime
As they stand in the pride of their manhood's might
And they sing while their hearts beat time:

Chorus.

O, hurrah for the Sons of Freedom,
Of her royal line are we,
We belong to a race of heroes
Who are lords of the isles and sea;
And we'll fear no foe, or danger,
For we're Britons, blood and bone,
And we'll fight till we win, and never yield,
We're the men of the northern zone.

They're the men of the mould who have fought and bled
For the empire's honored name,
And they treasure the deeds of the good and great
Who have won an immortal fame:
But they cherish more dearly their fathers' faith
As it blooms in a genial clime,
And they build for their country a Temple of Hope,
And they sing while their hearts beat time:

Chorus.

They're the men who have stood by their mother's side
When assailed by an alien foe,
And they stand by her still though a mightier hand
Has been raised for a deadlier blow;
For their shield in the past was her sheltering arm
And they grew in their strength and pride,
And their conquering spirit, and courage, and hope,
They have drawn from her heart's warm tide.

A STATEMENT ISSUED BY TURKISH WAR OFFICE

London, Aug. 10.—A Turkish official statement under date of August 7, received here to-day, reports operations on the Caucasus front preliminary to the occupation by the Turks of Mush and Bitlis, since announced. The statement is as follows:

"A movement undertaken by our right wing on August 5 in three columns against concentrated Russian forces east of Kermanshah (Persia) continued with success until the evening of the 6th. The Russians finally were repulsed towards Kenkaver and Hamadan. Our centre yesterday evening was 15 kilometres east of Sakna, where it again repulsed concentrated enemy troops eastward.

"Caucasus front—In the sector of Bitlis, Mush and Ognott, the offensive developed further in our favor. All the enemy positions to the south dominating Bitlis fell into our hands. Also successful was our attack against the enemy who was in an inaccessible mountain chain eight kilometres south of Mush. In yesterday's attack southeast of Ognott, 200 soldiers, one gun and four munitions cases were captured."

COOLER AT NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 10.—It was cooler here at 9.30 o'clock this morning than at the same hour any time during the last three weeks. The end of the period of record heat and humidity was marked by a drop in temperature of 19 degrees and a relative decrease in humidity. The mercury in the weather bureau's thermometer registered 62 at 9.40 a. m., 19 degrees cooler than yesterday. The humidity was 78, or 15 degrees lower.

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Hammers (other makes), 25¢ and .....50¢
Hatchets .....25¢ to 75¢
Bench Axe, $1.00, $1.10 and $1.25
Pipe Wrenches, $1.00, $1.35 and $1.50
Monkey Wrenches, from 45¢ to $1.75
Try Squares .....40¢ to 85¢
Squares .....45¢ to $1.65
Brace, strong and serviceable, at .....75¢
Brace, "ratchet," 90¢ to $2.75
Planer, "Iron," 45¢ to $4.60
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British Sailors' Relief Fund Will Be Organized at Meeting Next Week

A branch of the British Sailors' Relief Fund of Canada will be formed here in the immediate future if the efforts of the organizers are successful. Arrangements are being made by Mayor Stewart for the holding of a public meeting on Friday, Aug. 18, when the objects and purposes of the fund will be explained, and organization set in motion.

The chief speaker at the meeting will be M. O. Fennell, Jr., assistant secretary of the Montreal Harbor Commission, and honorary secretary of the fund whose headquarters are at Montreal; W. G. Ross being the president, and the vice-president James Carruthers. The Duke of Connaught is patron of the fund, and the honorary president is Sir Robert Borden.

It is only about two months ago that the Canadian organization was started in Montreal for the relief of disabled and wounded British sailors of the Royal navy and the mercantile marine and widows and orphans of the British sailors who have given their lives in the service of their country in the present war. The special object of the Canadian branch is to show appreciation of the magnificent service which the navy and its individual parts are giving at the present time. Some of the eastern cities have already promised handsome contributions to the cause, Montreal having undertaken to give $85,000 and Cape Breton, N. S., $25,000.

RUSSIANS FORDED ZLOTA LIPA RIVER, PETROGRAD REPORTS

Petrograd, Aug. 10.—Russian troops have forded the Zlota Lipa river, in Galicia, east of Stanislau, in the continuation of their progress westward along the Monasterzyska-Niznioff railway, says a statement given out by the war office this evening.

AMERICAN CITED AGAIN IN GEN. JOFFRE'S ORDERS

Paris, Aug. 10.—Lovering Hill, of New York, who is in charge of one of the sections of the American Field Ambulance, has been cited for the third time in the French army orders. The citation, which is signed by General Nivelle, is for "difficult and dangerous service during the period from June 22 to July 2, in which he showed again the finest qualities of forgetfulness of self and entire devotion to his service and to his men."

SPANISH STEAMSHIP SUNK BY AUSTRIANS

Toulouse, France, Aug. 10.—The Spanish steamship Kanekogorta Mendi, of 3,061 tons gross, on a voyage from Bilbao, Spain, her home port, was sunk yesterday by an Austrian submarine. Her crew of 24 was saved.

WHAT BERLIN SAYS OF OPERATIONS IN EAST

Berlin, Aug. 10.—An official statement issued to-day, dealing with the operations on the eastern front, says:

"Front of Field Marshal von Hindenburg, south of Smorgon, there has been lively firing and patrol activity. Repeated Russian attacks were sanguinarily repulsed on the Strumen near Dubczcze and on the Stockhod near Lubieszow, Berezycze, Smolary-Searcze and Witoniez. Near Searecze we made two officers and 340 men prisoners as a result of counter attacks.

"Operations by small enemy detachments and an attempted surprise attack on the Stockhod salient, east of Kovel, were unsuccessful.

"South of Salocze, south of Brody, new battles developed early this morning."

12,340 CAPTURED SO FAR BY ITALIANS

Total of Prisoners is Mounting; Austrians Fail in Counter-Attempts

Rome, Aug. 10.—So far during the new offensive the Italian troops have captured 268 officers and 12,072 men, according to announcement by the war office.

An official statement issued this evening says:

"Yesterday the enemy attempted to relieve the pressure on the lower Isonzo by violent attacks and heavy bombardments on other portions of the front. Other attacks of this kind took place on the Tonale, in the Giudicaria and Lagarina valleys, on the Pasubio, on Monte Cimone, in the Val Travolono and on the Meizli. Everywhere we maintained our positions.

"A squadron of 18 Caproni aeroplanes, escorted by Nieuport machines, raided the supply stations at Pravacina and Dorberg. More than three tons of high explosives were dropped on the railway stations and on military depots. Good results were observed. Notwithstanding the intense fire of anti-aircraft batteries and attacks by hostile aeroplanes, one of which was brought down, the squadron returned safely.

"A hostile airship dropped bombs on Venice. Two persons were killed and some damage was done."

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	4	11	0
Detroit	10	16	1

Batteries—Williams and Picinich; Mill, James and McKee.

New York	2	5	1
Cleveland	3	8	0

Batteries—Russell and Nunemaker; Lambeth and O'Neill.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0	5	2
Philadelphia	1	3	0

Batteries — Toney and Wingo; Mayer and Killifer.

NOTICE is hereby given that it has been decided to accord a public funeral to the remains of the late Honorable Edgar Dewdney, P. C., on Saturday, the 12th instant, at 11 a. m., from Christ Church Cathedral, and that such day has been appointed by order of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council a holiday.

G. A. McGUIRE,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
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GERMAN CLAIM ABOUT FRONT IN VOLHYNIA

Berlin, Aug. 10.—Heavy attacks have been made by Russian troops at various points along the Stockhod line in Volhynia, east of Kovel, the war office announced to-day. All the Russian advances were repulsed with heavy losses, it is declared.

TWO CHILDREN IN MONTREAL BURNED

Quebec, Aug. 10.—Trapped in a rear room where they were sleeping, two children perished shortly after 8 o'clock this morning in a tenement house fire on Hermine street, in this city. The dead are: Roland Verrett, aged four; Cecile Lemlin, aged six.

The parents of the children had gone to work, leaving them to the care of Albertine Lemlin, aged 12, who saved two other little ones by jumping to the street from the second story window.

UNITED STATES WILL SEND WHEAT ABROAD

Washington, Aug. 10.—This year's wheat crop will be sufficient for the needs of home consumption and there will be enough left to meet normal export requirements. That is the view of government officials, who said today that the sensational rise in wheat prices and a corresponding increase in the price of flour following the government's report of yesterday was the result of the market adjusting itself from a crop of abnormal proportions to one of much smaller size.

RECOVERING BODIES IN WEST VIRGINIA FLOOD

Charleston, W.Va., Aug. 10.—Twenty-three bodies have been recovered from the debris carried down by the flood of water which swept the Cabin Creek valley near here yesterday. Rescue parties have penetrated some distance above Cabin Creek Junction, and meagre reports brought back by couriers and from the railroads indicate that the loss of life has been heavy, although no accurate estimate can be made. Persons driven from their homes to the mountains are returning to find whole villages of mining cabins swept away, while distress and suffering is seen on every hand.

Two companies of the Second West Virginia Infantry left Camp Kanawha by trolley this morning, and were taken to Cabin Creek Junction with orders to penetrate the valley and extend relief to all who need it. They carried provisions and tents.

A special train was being made up here on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad, and will go as far as the hastily-repaired tracks will permit. From that point numbers of men provided with provisions will seek out the spots where destitution is most pronounced. It is expected that they will be able to go to the entire length of the valley and penetrate adjoining valleys, also hard hit, before to-morrow.

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Aug. 10.—The following casualties were announced to-day:

Infantry.

Killed in action—Pte. Walter Blore; Pte. R. G. Davey, Pte. Fred Hart, Sgt. John MacDougall.

Previously reported unofficially, now officially, prisoner of war—Pte. E. H. Bonaparte, Italy.

Previously reported unofficially, now officially, wounded and prisoner of war at Colne—Pte. Wm. F. Bowden.

Seriously ill—Pte. J. W. Follows.

Wounded—Pte. Frank Brunkhurst, Pte. Hugh Deloatch, Pte. John Castle, Lieut. John R. Mellis, Pte. John Grisdale, Pte. Harry Gracie, Pte. Robert Hunter, Pte. Wm. Hunter, Co.-Sgt.-Major Frank Macdonald, Pte. John Neven, Pte. Walter Littleton, Pte. John Robinson, Pte. J. A. Plant, Sgt. T. J. Smith, Cpl. Murdock Stewart, Pte. Albert Smith, Pte. J. P. Vinton, Pte. Conway Williams.

Dangerously ill—Pte. Frank Buttress.

Mounted Rifles.

Missing—Cpl. T. F. Burridge.

Previously unofficially reported prisoners of war; now officially reported prisoners of war at Colne—Pte. S. D. Blyth, Pte. Kenneth Boazeman, Pte. Horace Cope, Pte. F. H. Evans.

Prisoners of war at Colne—Lce.-Cpl. Edwin Hessalk, Pte. Albert G. Lane, Pte. Henry McDonald, Sgt. T. A. Tyler, Pte. Patrick McFadden, Pte. Ernest Edward Stanley.

POPE IS WATCHING IRISH SITUATION

London, Aug. 10.—The Irish situation is being followed by the pope with the keenest interest, according to the Liverpool Post, which states that the pontiff is most anxious for the pacification of Ireland. In an article in to-day's issue the paper says:

"The pope and the statesmen of the vatican are most anxious for what is described as 'the pacification of Ireland.' This anxiety has been known to the Irish Roman Catholic hierarchy through the most direct sources and of course it has not escaped attention. The rector of the Irish college in Rome has been in close association of late with the diplomats and statesmen of the vatican and has conferred with divines who enjoy the pope's confidence, including Cardinal Gasquet, who recently was in England."

R. B. BENNETT TO BE UNDER-SECRETARY

Ottawa, Aug. 10.—The position of parliamentary under secretary of state for external affairs, for which provision has been made by order-in-council, will be given to R. B. Bennett, M. P. for Calgary, it is stated. The holder of the new position will be called upon to assist the prime minister in his duties so far as foreign relations are concerned.

BODIES NOT FOUND IN MINE AT MICHEL

Work of Reaching Them is Slow; List of Dead and Families

Michel, B. C., Aug. 10.—Some progress was made by the rescuers in No. 3 mine, east of Michel, during yesterday afternoon and throughout last night but the rescuers are many hundred feet from the supposed location of the entombed men. The cause of the explosion still is believed to be the conducting of a strong current of electricity into the mine from the terrific electric storm which prevailed at the time of the explosion.

Mine Inspectors O'Brien and Williams were both on the scene early, O'Brien having come to Michel the evening before to make an inspection of the mine, as work had been resumed in the morning. He, together with Mine Superintendent Russell, was at the tunnel mouth a few minutes after the explosion took place, and even though they found the entrance closed by a cave-in, they could not believe that an internal explosion had taken place and thought the cave-in at the entrance had been caused by a stroke of lightning.

Thomas Phillips, the fire boss, whose body was found in a return air passage about 600 feet from the entrance with both arms broken and a piece of timber driven into his chest immediately above his heart, leaves a wife and five children. Dan Hall, a hoistman, and M. Marmot, a bratticeman, were single, as was also M. Dimtro, a ropeider. H. Evans, a laborer, leaves three children and wife at home and two married children. A. Trycon, a laborer, was single. J. Mikus leaves two children and wife in the old country. P. Hupka, a timberman, was single. Geo. K. Metz, a miner, leaves two married daughters and a son in the United States and one son at home. O. Devalder, a miner, was single, as was also T. Hampton, a miner. David Davies, a miner, leaves a wife and one child. These are the names and families of the missing men.

Coroner A. C. Murray empanelled a jury yesterday, and after viewing the body of Thomas Phillips, adjourned the hearing until Monday next, or until after such time as the bodies of the other men have been found.

Mine Inspector O'Brien was overcome by carbon monoxide gas yesterday, from which he has not fully recovered, although he is about the mine to-day.

Shifts of twelve men each are working continually with superintendents, pit bosses and fire bosses, who are well acquainted with the workings, directing them, but the difficulties to overcome are great and progress is slow. Provincial Inspector of Mines Graham is expected here from Victoria late to-day or early to-morrow.

BRITISH CASUALTIES ANNOUNCED TO-DAY

London, Aug. 10.—The lists of casualties given out to-day bear the names of 214 officers, of whom 56 are dead, and 4,443 men, of whom 233 are dead and 1,364 missing. The regiments which suffered the most are the Northumberland Fusiliers, Borderers, Warwickshires, Royal Irish Rifles, Sherwood Foresters, Sussex Regiment, London Regiment, North Staffordshires, Yorkshire Light Infantry, Durham Light Infantry and Rifle Brigade.

IS NOT THE FINAL GREAT OFFENSIVE

Drive on West Front is to Weaken Enemy, Writes Gen. Malleterre

Paris, Aug. 10.—According to diplomatic and financial circles here, the present offensive of the allies in the west is not the great drive that has been so long expected by the public. General Malleterre, one of the leading French military critics, writes in the Temps:

"Is this the general offensive which is to decide the issue of the war as the allies foresee, neutrals expect, and even the Tuetons fear?"

"We do not believe it, and there should be no illusion on the subject. Its object is the irrevocable destruction of the German imperial forces, and finally a guarantee of a reparative peace.

"Germany's victories must not be attributed solely to her army organization, and the perfection of her war machinery; they were due as much more to the position she occupies between her adversaries, separately at first by fatal differences of policy and strategy as much as by distance and difficulties of communication.

Allies Held On.

"Germany's first scheme was to strike successively in time and space the inferior forces of France and Russia, so that her victorious troops would pass like a shuttle from one frontier to the other across a triumphant empire. When the kaiser's general staff found that neither France nor Russia had been beaten down, and that Great Britain unexpectedly was aiding them, the German military chiefs still had confidence in the superiority of their strategy. Thus they alternately launched new offensives in the west and in the east, in Flanders and on the Yser and in Poland. The Austro-German reserves enabled them to do this, which was comparatively easy as long as the allies remained almost passive. There could be then no hope of a decision. The only thing for the allies to do was to hold on. Berlin understood this too, and began entrenching on her side.

"While maintaining a defensive position in the west, the Germans launched the great offensive against Russia in May, 1915. Russia had nearly reached the end of her supply of munitions, and Grand Duke Nicholas was forced to begin his wonderful retreat from the Carpathians. The Russian front then became immobilized in ice and mud, and the Germans made their third drive, this time into Serbia. Then, toward the end of 1915 they prepared their fourth great attack, the drive on Verdun, which was begun in February.

Lost Now.

"Thus, during 1915 and the first months of 1916 the Germans still held the initiative, which they now have lost.

"The allies, on the outside of the circle, were disconnected both in a political and military sense. This has now been corrected, but the general offensive can be decisive only if it is really general, simultaneous, conducted with the same violence and directed by a sole authority on all fronts.

"All the enemy fronts must be attacked at once on their whole length, and neither truce nor rest must be left to the Teutons until, first of all, the invaded territories are freed."

Gen. Malleterre does not consider the present attack the great general offensive, but he feels that something has changed connected with the war and the equilibrium of forces, and he sums it up in the single word "Pressure."

He finds a constant, general progressive pressure on all fronts, so that the central empires can no longer use their last reserves for the benefit of any particular centre of operations.

DANISH WEST INDIES AND UNITED STATES

Washington, Aug. 10.—The treaty by which the United States would acquire the Danish West Indies for $25,000,000 recently signed by Secretary Lansing and Danish Minister Brun, now is before the senate foreign relations committee, and probably will be considered next week. It became known to-day that the treaty was sent to the senate in executive session on Tuesday and referred to the committee without discussion.

At the request of the Danish foreign office the terms of the convention are to be considered confidential until both governments agree to have them announced.

COUNTERFEITING CHARGES LAID IN MONTREAL

Montreal, Aug. 10.—Chief Detective Carpenter to-day arrested three men, Louis Cahrbonnier, a representative of French manufacturers; Alfred Goulet, a printer, and J. J. Chartrand, a real estate dealer, on charges of counterfeiting. Counterfeit Bank of Montreal $5 notes amounting to $20,000, a press and zinc plates alleged to have been used to print the bills, were found.

A fourth man is being held by the police on a charge of distributing the money, but his name is withheld.

MONTREAL BANK CLEARINGS.

Montreal, Aug. 10.—The bank clearings here for the week ended to-day were $61,621,428. For the corresponding week last year the clearings were $54,975,632.

MUCH TOO LOW.

Amsterdam, Aug. 10. — Germany's casualties since the war started have reached 2,911,357, according to an estimate received here to-day.

ANZAC'S FINE WORK IN RUMAN BATTLE

Correspondent at Cairo Sends Description of Their Share in Operations

London, Aug. 10.—A dispatch from a correspondent at Cairo says:

It is possible now to give fuller details of the sterling work of the Anzac mounted division in the Battle of Ruman. For a week a brigade of Australian light horse was in touch with the Turks 24 hours out of 48, two brigades taking turns. The first brigade got in touch with the Turks a few minutes after midnight Thursday and with the second brigade fought almost uninterruptedly till dark on Saturday.

The horses were many hours without water and many of the men had little food. On Saturday there was scarcely a drop of water to relieve the agony of thirst.

The first brigade of light horse held off 3,000 Turks in the dark on a line of nearly four miles. Retiring very slowly, the brigade prevented the Turks from obtaining ground between the hills southeast of Ruman before daylight, the intention being to seize and cut the railway west of Ruman and isolate the garrison of that important place. Holding on doggedly, the first brigade stopped that attempt, and when reinforced at daylight by the second brigade held Wellington Ridge for hours in face of heavy artillery and infantry fire and desperate Turkish attacks.

The battle was made absolutely secure when the New Zealanders threw the Turks off Mount Royston and the infantry thrust them back towards Katia. There was some desperate fighting early in the morning when the Turks' strong advance line threw itself furiously against the light horse. The Australians never showed a sign of movement until the Turks attempted to rush them. Then they poured a terrible sloping fire into the attackers.

In the afternoon there was a combined attack at Katia. Three Anzac brigades galloped three-quarters of a mile into action across extremely difficult country. The gallant horses carried the cheering men at such a pace that the Turkish artillery was at sea, though it attempted to launch a barrage fire.

The wisdom of the charge over the desert was shown by a crowd of Turks rushing helter-skelter from their positions.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS.

Washington, Aug. 10.—The public health service, aroused over the inability to check the infantile paralysis epidemic in New York, has called a meeting of state health authorities here for next Thursday. Plans will be developed to combat the spread of the disease.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS.

New York, Aug. 10.—Fewer deaths, but little change in the development of the epidemic of infantile paralysis, were noted in to-day's bulletin of the health department. During the 24 hours ended 10 a. m. to-day the plague killed 38 children and 175 new cases were reported in the greater city. Yesterday's deaths numbered 57 and new cases 183.

TO-DAY'S TRADING ON THE WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, Aug. 10.—Wheat closed ½c. higher for October, ½c. higher for December, and ⅜c. lower for May; oats, ½c. lower for October and ½c. down for December; barley, ½c. higher; flax, ½c. lower for October, 1c. for November and 1c. for December. The close was rather quiet, with Winnipeg stronger than the American markets, but prices were mixed. To-day's market was an excited one which might have gone either way at a moment's notice as the result of Wednesday's close. The trade was only of a fair volume, though the market was very active. The floor crowd was too nervous to deal in large quantities and the public has been closed out more or less by the brokers asking big margins. Exporters were in the cash market only. There was a good demand for both oats and wheat at unchanged premiums.

	Open.	Close.
Wheat—		
Oct.	150-149	.149
Dec.	147½-147	146⅞
May	151	150⅞
Oats—		
Oct.	49¼	49
Dec.	47¾	47½
Barley—		
Oct.	193	193
Nov.	193	192 1-3
Dec.	193	192½

Cash prices: Wheat—1 Nor., 151½; 2 Nor., 149½; 3 Nor., 144⅞; No. 4, 141; No. 5, 135.

Oats—2 C. W., 49; 3 C. W., 48⅞; extra 1 feed, 48⅞; 1 feed, 47⅞.

Barley—No. 3, 80; No. 4, 76; rejected, 67; feed, 67.

Flax—1 N. W. C., 190½; 2 C. W., 187½.

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(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Amn. Marconi	3⅛	3½
Caledonia	60	65
Can. Copper	1⅞	2
Can. Marconi	1	2
Crown Reserve	45	50
Cuban Cane Sugar	56½	57
Em. Phone	10½	11
Goldfield	80	.85
Hecla	5	5½
Hedley Gold	..	23⅞
Hollinger	28½	29
Howe Sound	4½	4⅞
Kerr Lake	4½	4⅞
La Rose	60	65
Magma	14	15
Midvale	61	61½
Mines of Am.	2½	2⅞
Nipissing	7	7½
Standard Lead	1½	1½
Stewart	20	22
Submarine	32⅞	33
Success	40	42
Tonapah	.5⅞	.6
Tonapah Belm.	4½	4⅞
Tonapah Exten.	5⅞	5½
Yukon	8	8½

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Can. Cons. S. & R.	35.00	37.00
Coronation Gold	..	.14
Granby	82.00	84.00
Int. Coal & Coke Co.	.05	..
Lucky Jim Zinc	.07½	.08
McGillivray Coal	.10	..
Portland Tunnels	..	.05
Portland Canal	..	.01½
Rambler Cariboo	.20	.25
Standard Lead	..	1.56
Snowstorm	.44	.44
Stewart M. & D.	..	.75
Slocan Star	.21	.23
Stewart Land	..	7.00
Vict. Phoenix Brew.	..	115.00
Unlisted.		
American Marconi	3.00	4.00
Canadian Marconi	1.00	2.00
Glacier Creek	..	.04
Island Investment	..	20.00
Union Club deb., new	..	40.00
Do., old	..	90.00
University School debs.	..	102.00
Howe Sound M. Co.	4.00	4.90
Colonial Pulp	.12½	..
Pingree Mines	..	.10

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MONTREAL STOCKS

(By F. A. Borden & Co.)

Montreal, Aug. 10.—The local market opened strong to-day and most of the issues closed as high if not higher than yesterday's final quotations. There was a natural reaction from the best prices of the day, the steel group being under some slight pressure during the late session. The paper shares are being picked up again and were quite active to-day for the first time in two weeks. Civic Investment was in good demand by investors.

Gross earnings of C. P. R. for the first week of August increased $1,198,000 as compared with the corresponding week one year ago.

	High.	Low.	Close
Ames Holden, com.	..	..	21 B
Do., pref.	..	..	56 B
Bell Telephone	..	..	148 B
Brazilian Traction	58	58	58
C. P. R.	176¼	176¼	176¼
Can. Cement, com.	60½	59¾	60½
Do., pref.	92	91	92
Can. S. S., com.	26½	26	26
Do., pref.	84½	84½	84½
Can. Car Fdy., com.	44½	44	44
Do., pref.	74	73	74
Can. Locomotive	..	..	59 B
Can. Cottons	..	..	45 B
Can. Gen. Elec.	116	116	116
Cons. M. & S.	37½	35½	37½
Civic Inv. & Ind.	78	77½	78
Crown Reserve	..	..	41 B
Detroit United	119½	119	119
Dom. Bridge	217	216	217
Dom. Canners	..	..	18 A
Dom. Textile	..	..	79 B
Dom. I. & S.	56½	54½	54½
Ills. Traction	..	..	45 A
Lyall Constn. Co.	..	..	75 B
Laurentide Co.	185	184	185
Laurentide Power	..	..	54 B
Lake of Woods Milling	..	..	129 A
Montreal Tramway	39	38	39
MacDonald Co.	..	..	11½B
N. S. Steel, com.	56	55½	55½
Ontario Steel	..	..	39 A
Ogilvie Flour Co.	..	..	132 B
Ottawa Power	..	..	96 A
Penmans, Ltd.	..	..	59 B
Quebec Railway	33½	33½	33½
Shawinigan	130½	130	130½
Steel of Can., com.	56	55½	55½
Do., pref.	..	..	88
Spanish River Pulp	12	11	12
Toronto Railway	91½	91½	91½
Twin City	..	..	96 B
Winnipeg Elec.	..	..	98 A
Wayagamac Pulp	66	64	65
Dom. War Loan	98	98	98

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CAUTION IN WHEAT AT CHICAGO TO-DAY

Chicago, Aug. 10.—Caution seemed to be the watchword to-day among wheat speculators and there was a return to something like normal conditions, greatly in contrast with yesterday's feverish excitement and skyrocket course of prices. Opening quotations to-day ranged from ½c. decline to an advance of 2c., the latter confined to the May option, with September at $1.43 to $1.44 and December at $1.48 to $1.48½.

Many traders inclined to the view that the advance in prices had sufficiently discounted for the present all the crop damage in sight.

The outcome of to-day's session was a net decline of ½ to ¾c., with September finishing at $1.44 to $1.44½, and December at $1.47½.

Sharp advances in the price of flour were announced to-day as a result of yesterday's big upturn in the value of wheat. Altogether the rise in flour during the last two months has been about $2 a barrel.

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NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	14.60	14.68	14.40	14.42-44
March	14.70	14.78	14.55	14.55-56
May	14.89	14.91	14.71	14.69-71
July	14.90	14.93	14.76	14.77-78
Aug.	14.13	14.13	14.00	14.00-01
Oct.	14.29	14.36	14.11	14.14-15
Nov.	....	....	....	14.22-24
Dec.	14.49	14.58	14.32	14.35-36

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NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, Aug. 10.—Raw sugar quiet; centrifugal, $5.77; molasses, $5; refined sugar quiet; fine granulated, $7.25.

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MORE CONFIDENCE IS FELT AT NEW YORK

Effect of Developments in Railway Labor Situation and on Mexican Border

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Aug. 10.—In the recent past those entertaining bearish ideas have made much capital out of the threatened railroad labor trouble, the Mexican situation and the unfavorable crop outlook in the country. The result was that short lines were increased materially and stocks bought went into strong hands. The complexion of the situation from all angles has changed for the better owing to the willing acceptance of the rail employers and their men of the suggestion that they take their cue from the findings of the federal board of mediation and conciliation. Then, too, Washington dispatches suggest an early solution of the southern border difficulties, and all in all influences of a broad scope in a sense impart more confidence to the feelings of investors.

	High.	Low.	Bid.
Alaska Gold	18	17½	17⅞
Allis-Chalmers	22⅞	22½	22½
Do., pref.	75½	75¼	74½
Amn. Steel Foundry	52	51⅞	51⅞
Amn. Agr. Chemical	74½	74	74
Amn. Beet Sugar	90	88	88
Amn. Can	57½	56½	56⅞
Amn. Car & Foundry	59⅞	58½	58
Amn. Woollen	44½	44	44½
Amn. Locomotive	72½	71⅞	71½
Amn. Smelting	95⅞	95	94½
Amn. Sugar	110½	110	108½
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	130⅞	130½	130
Anaconda	81⅞	81½	81½
Atchison	103½	102⅞	102⅞
B. & O.	86⅞	86½	86½
B. R. T.	85	84⅞	84½
C. P. R.	177	175⅞	175½
Cal. Petroleum	18⅞	18	19
Central Leather	55⅞	55½	55½
Crucible	71½	70	61½
C., M. & St. P.	97½	96½	96
Colo. Fuel & Iron	45½	43½	44⅞
Crucible	72½	69½	70
Con. Gas	141	138½	139½
Distillers Sec.	46½	45½	45⅞
Erie	37½	37	36⅞
Do., 1st pref.	54	53½	53
Gen. Motors	539	525	515
Goodrich	73½	72½	72½
G. N., pref.	118⅞	117⅞	118
G. N. Ore ctfs.	35½	35½	35½
Green Cananea	47	46⅞	46⅞
Ind. Alcohol	113	110	110½
Baldwin	74½	72½	72½
Lackawanna	72⅞	71⅞	72
Lehigh Valley	79⅞	79	78
Maxwell Motor	82⅞	80½	81
Mex. Petroleum	99½	98	97½
Mercantile	28½	27	27½
Do., pref.	96½	93½	93½
Mo. Pacific	4⅞	4½	4½
N. Y. Air Brake	131	129⅞	129
Nevada Cons.	17⅞	17	17
New Haven	60⅞	60	59
N. Y. C.	106	104	104⅞
N. & W.	132½	131	130
N. P.	111½	111⅞	111½
Pennsylvania	56½	55⅞	56
Pressed Steel Car	50	49⅞	49½
Railway Steel Spg.	44½	43⅞	43⅞
Reading	102⅞	99⅞	99⅞
Rep. Iron & Steel	48	47½	48
S. P.	98⅞	98½	98½
Sou. Railway, pref.	68½	68	67½
Kennecott	48⅞	47⅞	47⅞
Studebaker Corpn.	129	127½	127
Tenn. Copper	26	24½	24⅞
U. P.	141	139½	139½
U. S. Refining	70½	69½	70½
U. S. Rubber	56	54	55
United Fruit	161½	160	159⅞
U. S. Steel	88⅞	87⅞	87⅞
Do., pref.	118⅞	118½	118½
Utah Copper	79	78⅞	78½
Va. Car Chemical	40⅞	40½	38½
Western Union	94½	94	94
Westinghouse	59	58	58½
Willy's Overland	52½	49	52½
Anglo-French	95½	95½	95⅞

Money on call, 2½ per cent.

Total sales, 534,100 shares.

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PEACE RUMOR CHANGED WHEAT AT CHICAGO

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, Aug. 10.—Wheat was strong again to-day and made new high records for the movement. A setback occurred later in the day on a peace rumor, it being stated that Austria might sue for a separate peace. Exporters were good buyers of wheat on the break, which caused a good upturn at the close.

There appears to be a very brisk demand for the cash wheat even at these levels and the professionals evidently are afraid to go short of the market.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Sept.	144 @143	146½	141½	144⅞
Dec.	148½@148	150	145⅞	147½
May	153½@153	155	150½	152½
Corn—				
Sept.	84 @ 83½	84⅞	83½	84
Dec.	72 @ 71½	72½	71½	71⅞
May	75⅞@ 75¼	75⅞	74⅞	75⅞
Oats—				
Sept.	44½	45	44	44½
Dec.	47½	48	47	47½
May	50⅞	51	49⅞	50½

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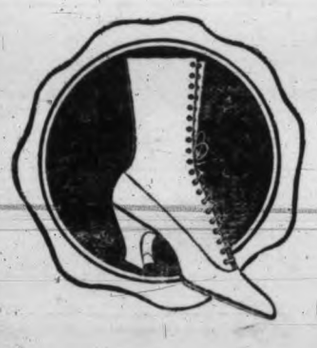
METAL MARKET.

New York, Aug. 10.—Lead, $6 asked; spelter dull; spot, East St. Louis delivery, $8. Copper steady; electrolytic, $25@$27. Iron steady and unchanged. Tin firm; spot, $38.12½@$38.27½.

Announcement!



TO-DAY we have an announcement to make that will come as welcome news to many who are acquainted with the sterling qualities of Walk-Over Shoes. From now on this store of high-grade Footwear will be the sole agency in Victoria for this famous brand. Already a few advance shipments of attractive fall styles have arrived, and, as they were bought months ago in the face of a rising market, we are able to offer them now at old pre-war prices.

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TWO DEPUTATIONS SET FOR TO-MORROW

Aldermen Will Hear of Wood Dust Prevention and of Burial Park Idea

Two deputations will wait upon the streets committee of city council to-morrow afternoon by appointment. The first is to take up the question of the smoke nuisance by-law, which Alderman Johns has proposed to be introduced at the next meeting. The residents of a large section of the city have complained for a long time of the charred sawdust which is carried about by the wind from the mill district, polluting the atmosphere. As it will entail some expenses to provide the sieves necessary, the aldermen suggested that the matter should be taken up with the mill men first.

In connection with this matter, the residents of Central Park district have put in a complaint about soot coming from the mill premises, apparently hoping that the by-law will embrace this form of objectionable disintegration in the atmosphere.

The second deputation is one almost forgotten, on account of the appointment having been made some time ago. When the burial park idea was launched, with a site off Shelbourne street in view as the ideal location, the cemetery committee recommended favorably, but strong objection to the report developed in council. Coincident with aldermanic opposition, the Trades and Labor Council passed a motion deprecating the control of burial leaving municipal control. The promoters naturally declined to spend a considerable sum of money without an assurance that for a term of ten years the city will not open a new cemetery. Thus civic approval is essential, because the opening of the proposed new public cemetery would put a private concern out of business.

Before, however, turning down the proposal definitely, it was agreed to hear Frank Higgins on behalf of the promoters, and also the Trades and Labor Council on the objections they have lodged. This hearing is set for to-morrow.

The B. C. Mausoleum and Crematory Company also wrote to the council at the meeting (July 10) when the burial park proposal was considered, on the subject of their proposal, declaring that they wished to be considered in any scheme of this character.

There is no important business at the session dealing with ordinary streets and sewers matters.

PUBLIC FUNERAL

Obsequies of Hon. Edgar Dewdney Will Be Held on Saturday Morning.

In respect to the late Hon. Edgar Dewdney, P. C., former lieutenant governor of British Columbia, Lieut.-Gov. Barnard in council has appointed Saturday a holiday and notice has been given that a public funeral will be accorded the remains. It is many years since any former lieutenant governor has died in the provincial capital, and the fact that the late Mr. Dewdney's funeral will be held here is almost unique in this respect. It is expected that a very large number of people will seize the opportunity to attend the obsequies, which are to take place from Christ Church cathedral at 11 a. m.

Personals

Miss Matheson, a daughter of the Most Rev. S. P. Matheson, Primate of All Canada, and who was a guest of Mrs. Littler's, Linden avenue, left last week with His Grace when he returned to the prairies after a few weeks' visit in the city. Miss Matheson is going out to Kangra, India, to mission work, and will be back in Victoria in about three weeks' time for a short time before sailing on the Empress of Asia for the Far East.

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The wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Sinnott, 1114 Alston street, last evening, of Emma Maud Kate, daughter of the late Mr. William Frederick Clayton, of London, England, and David Cunningham, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Petticrew, of 1461 Burnaby street, Vancouver, and nephew of Sir Andrew Petticrew, of Glasgow, Scotland. Rev. Dr. McLean officiated. The bride was attended by Miss Hilda Petticrew, of Vancouver, a sister of the bridegroom, who was supported by Mr. P. J. Sinnott, Jr. The ceremony took place in the presence of a number of the intimate friends of the bride and bridegroom, both of whom are well known in Victoria and Vancouver, where the latter is a representative of the firm of James Thomson & Sons, Limited, Water street. The happy couple traveled by the midnikht boat to Vancouver, where they will permanently reside.

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OTTAWA.

CORONER INVESTIGATES DEATH OF M. DAVIS

Widow and Son Will Appear at Inquest at Chicago To-day

As recorded in last night's Times, M. Davis, who resided at St. Lulie street, Oak Bay, was found dead yesterday in the Congress hotel, Chicago, and it was reported that he had died under mysterious circumstances. A telegram has been received from Winnipeg stating that Mr. Davis and his wife intended to visit that city after the former had completed his business in Chicago. Mr. Davis came to Victoria about two years ago from Montana and was interested in mining and other industries.

A Chicago dispatch says: "The mystery of the death of M. Davis was expected to be cleared up to-day with the arrival of his son, Morse Davis, jr., of St. Cloud, Minn. Mrs. Davis, who was found in a serious condition from poison, which she and her husband took intentionally or by mistake, was reported to be nearly recovered to-day. Mrs. Davis and the son are to appear at the coroner's inquest, it was said."

The telegram from Winnipeg follows: "M. Davis fell dead in the Congress hotel, Chicago, while on the way to Winnipeg in connection with a business deal, accompanied by his wife, Marie, who is prostrated. He had suffered for a year with his heart and was taking medicine for his trouble. It is likely that he took an overdose.

"Miss Helen Playfair, of Mountain avenue, Winnipeg, was a close friend of Mrs. Davis, having known her intimately while residing in Victoria. Miss Playfair was in communication with her by letter and was looking forward to having a pleasant visit from an old friend. These social letters, addressed 'Dear Marie,' were found with Mrs. Davis's belongings. Mr. Davis was in communication with B. C. Mills, real estate broker here, with reference to an investment in Winnipeg by British capitalists. It was to further that object he was coming to Winnipeg.

"In Chicago he was looking over some chemical manufactory and he may have been poisoned while inspecting it, friends here think. His brother is Commodore Davis, of U. S. North Pacific squadron, who is deceased's closest relative. Mr. and Mrs. Davis had no relatives here, merely business and social relations with former residents of Victoria. Mrs. Davis has been suffering from a nervous breakdown for some time and her husband had built for his wife a home at Oak Bay overlooking the sea with a view to benefit her health. Their plans had been to visit Chicago last Christmas, but Mrs. Davis's illness prevented them taking a trip at that time."

SUNDAY TRAIN SERVICE

Regular Afternoon Schedule Will Be Resumed on E. & N. Railway on August 20.

The altered hour for the return of the Sunday afternoon train on the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway will only be continued on Sunday next, after which a return to the regular schedule will go into force.

General Supt. H. E. Beasley says that the circumstances of the season do not warrant continuing it, for although the approaching hunting season is one of the best portions of the year for passenger travel, the delayed hour at which the train would leave would not be of any service to the sportsmen.

He reports that a number of Victoria people are spending the warm weather at Cowichan Lake, and that several fishing parties have gone up to the lake. Activity at the mills, to which allusion has already been made, is resulting in an increased demand for cars for lumber shipments.

Building Permit.—A building permit has been issued to Alfred Harris, 852 Princess street, for a private garage.

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Records Made.—Seven records of earthquakes were made last week during a single period of twenty-four hours, it has been found by E. Napier Denison who is in charge of the seismograph at the Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights. The times were: First, 5.45 p. m., Wednesday, 1,500 miles to point of origin; second, 6.10 p. m., same day, distant, 1,100 miles; third, 2.01 minutes later than the first and from the same source; fourth, 1.15 a. m. the following day, distance indefinite; fifth, 5:46 a. m. the same day, source about 1,100 miles distant. No news has been received from any of the populated points to the south, and it is therefore assumed that the disturbance must have occurred on the Alaskan coast somewhere.

RETIRING AMBASSADOR HOMEBOUND TO JAPAN

Marquis Inouye Arrives To-day on Liner Empress of Russia

On account of the late hour to-day when the Empress of Russia docks here to pick up local passengers for the Orient, the leading Japanese of Victoria felt it would be impossible to accord to Marquis Inouye, retiring ambassador to the court of St. James, the reception which they would wish.

Under these circumstances, and knowing that the marquis is in the excellent guidance of Consul Kahachi Abe, who met him at Banff, where the party stayed a night, it was felt impossible to extend any formal welcome.

The marquis, who belongs to a celebrated family in Japan, was accorded an official farewell by the British foreign minister, Viscount Grey of Falloden, and members of the cabinet on the eve of his departure from London. He sailed to New York, and from there came west by way of Toronto.

In the course of a newspaper interview in Vancouver yesterday, the marquis referred to the position with regard to Tsingtau. He said:

"When we took Tsingtau from Germany it was on the distinct understanding that we would hold on to it until the end of the war, and we mean to do so. The province of Klauchow will then be handed back again to China on the conditions, subject, of course, to the other allied powers agreeing, that it shall never be again leased to any power no matter what that power is. That is the position of Japan to-day, and that will be her position until the end of this struggle, which we all hope will end soon.

"There has been considerable talk of late," the ambassador continued, "about the aggression of the Japanese in the United States and elsewhere and this is particularly so with reference to California, where relations were somewhat strained a few years ago. It may interest you to know that more Japanese have left San Francisco for their native land than have gone to California. They have only gone there to study western methods, which they apply to their business on their return, and I doubt if you could find to-day in California as many Japanese as have often been reported to be there. They do not wish to stay there, and they are not staying there.

"You ask me why Japenese troops have not been sent to the front. There are many reasons for that, into all of which I do not wish to enter. One great obstacle in the way is the great distance they would have to travel, and the keeping up of the line of communication between Japan and their bases. The Japanese government no doubt took these matters into serious consideration whenever the question was mooted, and this may be an answer to your question.

"So far as Japan is concerned she is helping Russia to the limit of her possibilities. We are sending forward guns and munitions, and would do more but for the fact that we are handicapped for want of material. Still we have the satisfaction of knowing that we are doing our part so far as in us lies."

He mentioned an interesting fact regarding the trans-Siberian railway. The trouble of getting munitions to the Russian front has been that this line is only single-tracked, but at the present time there are thousands of men engaged in double-tracking it, and before very long he believes the entire system will have been handled in this connection.

The marquis expressed his admiration at the way the overseas Dominion had rallied to the help of the mother country, and said that the reputation that Canadians had made was one that would live in history.

SONGSTER A VICTIM

Winnipeg Poet Humorously Praises Robert Watkin Mills in New "Who's Who."

The following poem appeared recently in the Winnipeg Free Press, and subsequently was re-printed in the Stroud Journal, where it was read by many of Robert Watkin Mills's Old Country friends. The lines, which come under the arresting caption of "Who's Who in Winnipeg," refer to the great baritone-bass who is giving a recital at the Empress hotel ballroom on the evening of Friday, August 18, in aid of the Esquimalt Red Cross:

WHO'S WHO IN WINNIPEG.

Dear Hello, you have sometimes seen,
When in the forest glade you've been,
A hawk swoop down—the cruel wrongster—
And seize upon some feathered songster,
And so a songster's now a victim
Of my Muse—she thus has picked him:

He to his marrow's permeated
With the best music e'er created.
To Handel—Mendelssohn—he's wed;
They are good Germans. (They are dead.)

To hear him sing, "Arm, Arm, Ye Brave!"
Would still the soul in even a knave.
And, if you can a secret keep,
He once was heard, though fast asleep.

(It's quite remarkable—yes, very,)
To sing, "O Ruddier Than the Cherry!"
But though in Handel's stuff he revels,
He'll sometimes drop to lower levels,
Like Elgar, Dvorak, Stainer, Gounod,
And Sullivan, and others you know.

He's traveled much across the seas
To the far-flung Antipodes.
The stories, varied, rich and humorous,
He tells, i' faith, are vastly numerous.
Which goes to show an artist true
Can be a regular good scout, too.

Who, then, is this Cantor Mirabilis
Whose voice (believe me, this no fable is)
His hearers with emotion fills
And causes them delightful thrills
Why surely, Mr. Watkin Mills.

Annual Pound Party.—Arrangements were made at the last meeting of the W. C. T. U. home committee to hold the annual pound party on September 19, at the home, corner of Pembroke and Ida streets.

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The first of the three concerts at which these three artists appear will be held at 8.15 to-night in the Princess theatre, when they will be assisted by several talented local musicians, including Miss Phyllis Clayton and Miss Barker, of the British Columbia Academy of Music. Other pupils of R. T. Steele who are assisting Lieut. Hilliam in his endeavor to raise money to provide footballs, baseballs and other sports material for the encamped soldiers in training, are Miss Mitchell, Miss H. Haslam and Miss Mona Misnes. These ladies are all splendid singers of known reputations.

On Friday evening the great Cherniavsky trio, who are spending the summer here, have consented to play. The generosity of the three young Russians was all the greater because they have announced a recital of their own within a couple of weeks. Mrs. Macdonald Fahey, a Victoria lady whose worth as a singer is known in all parts of Canada, will sing on Friday evening.

Saturday's programme is not yet settled, but something unique is being planned for that evening.

Robert had two little playfellows who were passing the afternoon with him. They finally began boasting about their parents and belongings. "My father," bragged Robert, "is going to build a fine house with a steeple on it." "That's nothing," exclaimed Louis, scornfully. "My father has just built house with a flagpole on it." Sherman, who had been listening intently, was silent for a moment, then burst forth triumphantly—"Gee, that's nothing! My father is going to build a corking house with a mortgage on it."

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Vast Concourse Listens to Characteristic Discourse on Prohibition

Whatever his detractors may have to say about Billy Sunday they cannot deny him first place as a power to draw a crowd. The big arena at the Willows had been arranged to seat seven thousand last evening. With the exception of one or two spots at the most distant part of the hall, where people were doubtful about being able to hear, the great auditorium was packed. Dignified, indifferent, unexcitable Victoria was roused, either by enthusiasm for temperance and Billy Sunday or by abnormal curiosity, and turned out as it has never turned out before either for sport or prayer.

The cars almost ceased to carry passengers after 7 o'clock. People were determined to have seats, and the biggest audience that has ever been gathered together in the history of Vancouver Island waited patiently for a full hour, many for nearly twice that length of time, for the appearance on the platform of the man they had come to hear.

That the great majority were sympathetic both to Mr. Sunday and his message was proved by the roar which went up when Rev. J. G. Inkster, who presided as chairman, called him forward to the platform. The three cheers and a tiger which followed shook the rafters. For a full minute the vast crowd stood, swaying like grain moved by the wind. Handkerchiefs were waved in the Chataqua salute; people stood on their chairs the better to see; everyone leaned forward in the intensity of a moment full of dramatic potentialities.

Mr. Sunday commenced his talk with his overcoat on. Before he finished he had divested himself not only of this outer garment but, by degrees, of his collar and tie and jacket. He worked hard, not only in an effort to make himself heard at the remotest parts of the hall, but also give effect to his remarks by gestures. These latter were strongly reminiscent of that other part of his career as a baseball player. He was never still. From side to side of the platform he moved, talking first to one wing of the audience, then to the other, at one moment mounting a chair the better to impress a point, the next smiting the floor with his hands.

He had come to Canada because of his undying enmity to the liquor traffic, he told his hearers when the hall was quiet enough for him to be heard. They, the liquor interests, had done their best to keep him out of the Dominion as an undesirable. He knew he was undesirable—to the brewers. It was a time for people to be loyal to what they advocated. He was out to wreck the licensing business. Those men in the audience who intended to show their loyalty to the British Empire had better join the army at once. The allies were going to win, and so soon that anybody who wanted to get a chance at the Germans would have to get in quick.

"I am a sworn and uncompromising enemy of the liquor traffic," said Mr. Sunday with expressive emphasis. "Twenty-eight years ago I drew the sword against the liquor interests, and I am not going to sheath it till I die. The liquor traffic has not one leg to stand on. Whisky is all right in its place. Its place is hell."

Quoted Statistics.

Often immoderate and extravagant in his phrasing, Mr. Sunday nevertheless brought forward reams of cold facts to bear out his arguments. Occasionally he referred to printed figures which helped him to convince the doubting Thomases. Reason and truth came from out the wild utterances in which he indulged not unseldom, and occasionally he touched pinnacles of eloquence that a more polished orator might have envied.

"Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New York lead the states in the liquor traffic," he asserted at one point. "They also lead in point of numbers in their insane asylums. In Kansas, on the other hand, where they have prohibition, fifty-four counties have not a feeble-minded child; thirty-nine counties have no paupers; sixty-five counties did not have a single inmate in their prisons in 1914. Ninety-six out of 105 counties have not an inebriate or drunkard, and the death rate, eight in the thousand, is smaller than anywhere else in the world."

Great Prohibitionists.

Again referring to his notes, Mr. Sunday cited some of the representative men who had openly condemned the liquor business. Archbishop Ireland had placed at the door of intemperance the great bulk of social crime, poverty, domestic unhappiness, murder and insanity. Drink was worse than war, worse than pestilence. Ruskin had called it "the most criminal and artistic form of assassination in existence." Roosevelt had called it "an agency of degradation." Robert Ingersoll had raged against it. The late Lord Chief Justice Alverstone had said that he had no hesitation in placing ninety per cent. of the crime of England at the door of drink. The Russian government had put vodka out of business. They knew how evil it was. And Russia had better agricultural implements, better clothes, better food, than before the war. Science was against it. The army condemned it. The school, the home, the church, all were against it.

"I have no quarrel with a saloonkeeper as a man. But I don't like the way he gets his living," declaimed Mr. Sunday amid applause. "Who pays the drink bill? The charitable people who support the poor children of the drunkard, the taxpayers who are charged for the care of the criminals, the public that has to support a system for the safeguarding of the civic peace. And who benefits? The saloonkepers."

Opposed to Traffic.

Mr. Sunday reminded his hearers that the late Lord Roberts and the late Lord Kitchener had both passed judgment against the liquor traffic. The governments both of Canada and the United States had legislated against it for the Indian. But it was bad for the Red Face, it was also bad for the White Face. Every influence was against it except the underworld, the immoral world.

"I have no use for the newspaper that champions the dirty business," he declared angrily at another point. "All the figures prove that it draws the biggest income and pays the poorest wages of almost any business in the world. Drive the saloons out of British Columbia and hell will be for rent before Christmas. Last year the entire income of the United States government in revenue was about $350,000,000. But in our country the working men paid over two billion dollars on drink. Any man that will weigh in the scales the squalor, want, human suffering and woe that comes from drink will need no argument to show him that it does not pay. Abraham Lincoln said that if slavery were not wrong nothing was wrong. I say that if the liquor business is not wrong nothing is wrong."

"I am a better friend of Great Britain, although I am from a neutral country, than the whiskey supporters of Canada that are doing their best to foist the liquor business on you," claimed the speaker. "If you believe in and want better civic conditions, if you believe in prayer instead of curses, homes of happiness and joy instead of suffering and misery, then down with drink. I can run the United States government, pay the farmers ten per cent. on their present sales, and at the end of the year have enough to pay every man, woman and child in the country a ten-dollar gold piece if I am given what is spent annually on whiskey in my country. Each year we spend the value of four cotton crops on drink. The railroads of this country are capitalized at twenty billion dollars. We can reproduce these roads in eight years with the money that is spent in liquor. We can build six Panama canals every year with the dollars that the working man drops in whiskey."

More Than Money.

"But worse than the money that goes in drink is the manhood, the ambition, the character that is squandered. It would take us fifty years to get rid of the paupers, the insane, the criminals, that have been made by drink. The home is the true heritage of the people, for the people, and by the people. Whatever endangers the home, degrades the family, and spoils happiness should be outlawed. There is no use trying to mop the floor dry with the tap still running. This is a test they use in one asylum to find out whether a patient is 'bug-house.' The nations must be 'bug-house' to try to clean up things without shutting off the source of supply for drink."

"I want to live long enough to see the white-winged dove of sobriety and peace and love spread her wings over the capital at Washington," said Mr. Sunday in a milder voice than he had previously adopted. The remark appealed to the audience, who broke once more into tumultous applause.

Inconsistency.

"I could never figure out why the man who thinks stealing chickens is a crime can favor the saloon," he continued. "No one can pray the Lord's prayer one moment and vote for liquor the next and expect to get what he asks. You people in British Columbia must have some fight in you. Those ancestors of yours who came round the Horn in old sailing ships and settled here in the wilds were not pink-tea and lemonade people. They had iron in their veins. And you prohibitionists should be able to say, like the drummer boy, that you do not know how to beat a retreat."

Speaking of his visit to Portland earlier this week Mr. Sunday said he was gratified to have on the platform with him representative men like the mayor of that city, who was not afraid to come out and show himself in favor of the temperance movement. He had also just received a telegram from Governor Carson, of Colorado, asking him to go back and give an address there.

Honorable industries usually turned out a finished product which was worth more than the raw material. But the saloon never.

"Every drunkard was once a pure, sober boy like these," said Mr. Sunday, calling forward a number of lads who were seated near the platform. "Are you so low down that you will stoop to paying your taxes with the good brawn and muscle and brains of your young men? Are you so degraded that you will deliberately allow your Canadian boys to be dragged into the mud to support a dirty traffic that is greed from the core outwards? Then you ought to be ashamed!" he declaimed with heat. "I would not give this group of boys for all the revenue of all the breweries of the United States!"

Arrangements Good.

An enormous volunteer choir, numbering many hundreds, was behind the platform, and led in the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers," "O Canada" and "God Save the King," the last closing the programme. Mr. Downard, of the Metropolitan choir, conducted, and J. G. Brown, with the choir for a chorus, rendered "Keep the Home Fires Burning," which was given while the collection was being taken up. E. Parsons presided at the piano as accompanist, and the Salvation Army band played during the singing of the hymns.

Rev. J. G. Inkster, who presided as chairman, spoke a word or two in advance of Mr. Sunday, pleading for the support of the great audience in the overthrow of the liquor business in British Columbia. He was followed by Capt. Gordon Smith, of the 143rd Battalion, B. C. Bantams, who asked for recruits, urging that in an assemblage of 7,000 citizens it should be possible at least to "rad sufficient men to make up the number necessary to bring the unit to overseas strength. He was very heartily applauded.

The acoustics of the hall were splendid, owing to the laying of a carpet of sawdust which deadened the echo. A nice effect was achieved with the use of flags, which draped the platform, balconies and doorway. The B. C. Electric Company won a quota of thanks for the splendid manner in which they handled a crowd which was nearly double any they have ever carried on any hockey night since the Arena was opened. Many soldiers in uniform were present in the hall, and there was no attempt to interrupt the proceedings from the time the first hymn was sung until the national anthem was finished, when the crowd poured down from the galleries to where Billy Sunday stood shaking hands with everyone.

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